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Shares leap to near record level

London stock markets surged 51,329m. to within a whisker of the all-time peak yesterday. A buying spree on Wall Street hecause of hopes that the United States recession might be ending sent British buyers scrambling. The FT Index closed 6.0 up at 579.8—just 17.5 short of the all-time high last April. Page 15

De Lorean sees signs of hope

Mr John De Lorean said in New York last night that he hoped for a financial restruc-turing of his troubled Belfastsports car company, would ensure jobs. He also said he welcomed a plan-ned independent study of the company's finances Page 15

Begin approves Sinai force

Mr Menachem Begin, the Israeli Prime Minister, has approved European partici-pation in a peacekeeping force to police Sinai when Israeli troops withdraw this spring, according to a senior American official travelling with Mr Alexander Haig, the American Secretary of State.

Pop star's plane lands on road

Gare Numan, the pop star, and his father escaped injury when their single?engine Sessna their single?engine Sessna plane made a forced landing on a busy road at Botley, Southampton, vesterday. A pilot and a record company

No parole for Myra Hindley

Myra Hindley, who is in Durham jail serving a life sentence imposed in 1956 for the Moors murders of two chil-dren, will not be considered for release until 1985, the Parole Board has decided

German doctor sent to prison

A Munich gynaecologist and his assistant were found guilty of manslaughter for terminating the life of an mentally handicapped baby girl last year. The judge reduced their prison sentences because of mitigating circumstances

Congress move against Salvador

Democrats in the American Congress are renewing efforts to curtail or end United States military aid to El Salvador. President Reagan has certified that the regime of Presiden Duarte was making sufficient progress on human rights

Schmidt threat

Herr Helmut Schmidt, the West German Chancellor, has threatened to resign if leaders of the Social Democratic-Free Democratic coalition cannot agree on a programme for dealing with unemployment Page 4

Export orders

Engineering export orders were up 40 per cent by the end of last year, heralding a breakthrough by British com-

Rates challenge Great Universal Stores has issued a writ against Mersey-side County Council to chal-

lenge an £11m supplementary rate levied to help to pay for a 10 per cent cut in bus fares Meat safeguard The Government proposes to make compulsory the staining

of unfit meat to prevent it being sold for human consumption, MPs were told

Parliamentary report, page 4 Botham to play Ian Botham will play for England in the sixth and final Test against India today

despite a thigh strain. He will play as a batsman and hopes to bowl later in the match Page 22

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been waiting for Obituary, page 8
Brigadier W. G. Carr, Sir
Richard Graham, Miss May

Lord Grade, deposed head of Associated Communications Corporation, may face three days in a High Court witness box over the proposal to pay his former right-hand man, Mr Jack Gill, a record £750,000 golden handshake.

Mr Justice Slade yesterday froze payment to Mr Gill until a full hearing of an action by the Post Office pension fund. The fund is opposing the £560,000 payment to Mr Gill three for loss of office and his option to buy a company
Mr Justice Slade yesterday froze payment to Mr Gill until a full hearing of an action by the Post Office pension fund for loss of office and his option to buy a company
Mr Goodhart said suggestion of the style in which Lord Grade investigation of the style in which Soughet the package but adjourned an application which sought access to private there was an inference that memos and confidential namenos and confidentia Davidson. Home News 2, 3 | Sat Review 9-13 pension fund speaks for 62. Lord Grade.

per cent of non-voting shares.

Mr William Goodhart, QC,

Mr Gill's counsel, said: "It that there was any sort of

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Reagan will attend Nato summit in Europe

From Nicholas Ashford, Washington, Jan 29

President Reagan will make Europe in June for talks with Nato leaders and an audience with the Pope, the White House announced today. The trip, which is expected

to last about a week, will fall into three separate sections. First, the President will attend the summit meeting of West-ern industrialized nations in Versailles, between June 4 and

Then, he and Mrs Nancy Reagan will fly to Rome to meet the Pope and President Pertini. Finally, the President will attend a summit meeting of Nato. This meeting is expected to take place in Brussels on June 9 and 10.

It will be the first Nato summit meeting for four years. The alliance's heads of state

and government last met in Washington in 1978 during President Carter's term.

Announcing the tour, a White House spokesman said the President regarded the Nato meeting as an oppor-tunity for the allience to shape its response to this decade's

challenges.
The idea for the meeting arose from two recent Natuministerial meetings — one which took place just before ministeria! martial law was introduced in Poland, and the other which was held earlier this month to consider the West's response to the Polish crisis.

Fast-West relations in the light of the Polish situation. light of the Polish situation, and in particular the Sovier Union's support for the military regime in Warsaw, seem certain to dominate the Nato meeting However, the meeting will discuss other challenges confronting the alliance as well as Spain's decision to join Nato, an agreement now in the process of ransication.

The Versailles meeting, which will also be attended by the leaders of Bricain, France, West Germany, Italy, Canada and Japan, will consider international economic and monetary issues.

rates, East-West trade and rela- in reality.".

meeting.

The President is to set the tone for his talks with European leaders in a State of the World message which he is to deliver here shortly._

The trip will be Mr Reagan's fourth visit abroad since he became President a year ago.
All of his earlier trips have been to Canada and Mexico.
His last journey took him to the North-South summit of 22 nations in Cancun, Mexico, last October

French Prime Minister, said in Bonn today that a Western trade boycost of the Seviet Union would amount to Union would amount to an economic blockade and history had taught that block-ades can lead to war (Patricia Clough writes).

During a two-hour talk, M

Mauroy and Herr Helmut Schmidt, the West German Chancellor, appeared to bave agreed to reject economic retaliation against the Sowiet

Onion.

M Mauroy told a press conference he believed that to cease trading with the Soviet Union and to tear up the gaspipeline deal would amount to an economic blockade. Such measures were not on the same level as the kind of solidarity that Poland

needed. Herr Schmidt said there were no differences in the French and German evaluation of the "Polish tragedy". The two leaders urgently requested the United States to drop its bigh interest rate policy which Herr Schmidt said was having extremely negative effects on economics and em-

ployment in Europe.

The Chancellor said the reason for their public appeal was that President Reagan needed backing in his efforts to reduce the interest rates. During the Chancelor's visit to ary issues the United States last month.
This meeting is held annually: the President had expressly The last took place in Ottawa stated that this way was his last July and dealf with the intention but it is not so

Traffic offenders face more fixed penalties

By Peter Waymark, Motoring Correspondent

The Government wants to paid within-21 days the amount bring more than 30 extra due plus half as much again, motoring offences into the will be recoverable by the fixed penalty system in an courts in the same way as a attempt to remove 600,000 fine. cases a year from overburdened

courts.
Under the Transport Bill,
published yesterday, fixed pen-alty mckets, which are used mainly for packing offences, can be issued for speeding, having defective tyres, lights and brakes and failing to comply with traffic signs. The extended system will also cover failure by drivers and front sear passengers to wear seat belts, which is expected to procedure, the driver is likely because law in the greater to leave his licence. If the policy can check whether, under the totting-up belts, which is expected to procedure, the driver is likely to leave his licence.

f20 for an offence such as court. The offence will also be speeding, which could count dealt with by a court if the towards a driver's disqualification. Motorists will still be able with him or exercises his right

court."
Because extra computers will

have to be installed to adminis-ter the system, it is unlikely to

Another provision of the Bill
come into effect before 1984. is the introduction of private have to be installed to administer the system, it is unlikely to come into effect before 1984. Is the introduction of private capital in to the state-owned ticket for offences already National Bus Company. Mr covered will, however, go up from £6 to £10.

option to buy a company-

days. There are directors be-

owned house for £100,000 less Mr Gill had signed an option

fine.

Nearly half the tickets in London and a quarter elsewhere are never paid because courts are too busy to issue summonses within the required six months. The loss in revenue is estimated at £3m a year. belts, which is expected to lose his licence. It so, a fixed penalty cannot be applied and the case must go to court. The offence will also be court. The offence will also be court.

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Court if they wish.

By the time the fixed penMr David Howell, Transport alty system has been extended,
Secretary, said yesterday; the present totting up pro"The new system will not only cedure, whereby three offences free court sime to deal with can lead to disqualification, more serious offences. Many will have been replaced by a motorists will welcome the points system. That will weight offences according to the points.

more serious offences. Many motorists will welcome the points system. That will weight offer of a simpler alternative offences according to their to their case being taken to seriousness.

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To improve the enforcement the company's coach opera-of fixed penalties, the Bill pro-Judge freezes record handshake

By Philip Robinson and Paul Maidment

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Haig praises EEC line on Poland

The European response to the Bolish crisis has been very encouraging, Mr Alex-ander Haig, the American Secretary of State, said yesterday after a 90-minute meeting with Mrs Thatcher (David Spanier writes).
But Mr Haig, pictured

above after his talks with the Prime Minister at Downsing Street, said the United States and its allies would continue to assess the situation every step of the way in considering further sanctions against Russia.

He said the situation in

orare. He had made it very clear to the Russians, notably in his meeting with Mr. Andrei Gromyko, the Soviet Foreign Minister, this week, what the United States hoped for and expected in

Italian police arrest 17 in raids on nine hideouts

From John Earle, Rome, Jan 29

Red Brigades terrorists in a new oftensive today, making at least 17 arrests in raids on nine hideours discovered at Verona, Padua and Mestre, near

when a specially-trained police squad freed the kidnapped -American General James Dozier in a 90-second raid yesterday on a first-floor flat bove a supermarker in Via indemonte, on the outskirts of Padua.
These achievements have

einforced the feeling that leftwing terrorism, if not wiped out, has been decapitated and has lost the initiative for the first time is 10 years. : The general was reported in

good health after his 42 days' ordeal. He is undergoing tests at an American hospital in Verona. Staff there said the general had told them he had bren treated reasonably wellin captivity and was given meals regularly.

But the police chief of Verona said there seemed

memos and confidential papers from Mr Gill and ACC un-

The judge said that, on the

evidence supplied exclusively by the Post Office pension

granted three days before to til the full hearing next month.

Italian police swooped on little doubt that the Red Red Brigades terrorists in a Brigades planned in kill him. I have offensive today, making at This could be deduced from the fact that in the early days indepouts, discovered at Verona, his captors either blindfolded Padua and Mestre, near him or appeared before him bodded, but more recently allowed him to see them facetion to the five—three men to face.

and two women—captured While the police refuse to

disclose how they located the general's prison, they indicate that a tip-off came from the world of international drugsmuggling—a drug-peddler is the brother of a wanted Red Brigades Terrorist—and that the rescue operation, was mounted entirely by Italian forces without American help.

The police believe that the general spent the whole of his captivity in the Padua flat. Their theory is that the terrorists disguised as plumbers, who abducted him from his home in Vernice on December. home in Verona on December 17, drove the 50 miles to Padua in a hired van with the general hidden in a trunk. After unloading him they took the van back to Verona to abandon it there, in order to start the investigators on the wrong trail. -



General Dozier with his wife: "I'm here because the

The names were confirmed today of the five terrorists cap-tured in the rescue operation. One is Autonio Savasta, aged.

27, sentenced recently to 30 years' imprisonment in his absence by a Sardinian court for ferrorist activities there. He was also wanted in concluding that of Aldo Moro, the Prime Minister, in 1978, two other kidnappings and four robberies with violence.

The others were named as Emilia Libera, a nurse aged 25: Cesare de Lenardo, aged 22: Emanuela Frascella, a student, aged 21, whose doctor father had rented the Padua flat; and Giovanni Ciucci, aged who was injured in the

Accompanied by his wife, Judith, and his daughter, Cheryl, General Dozier appeared briefly in public today to thank the Italian authorises for the efficiency and precision of their rescue. Clean scharms and wearing a dress shaven and wearing a dress uniform, he looked none the worse for his experience. ☐ General Dozier, described by

his aides as a devout Protest-ant and regular churchgoer, said: "The power of prayer works" (AP reports from Vicenza). "I'm here today to tell you that it works and it had a large part in my being here with you today, . . I pray regularly myself, but during the last 6 weeks I was on the receiving end of many prayers, and where I was you could sure as hell feel it, " he said. He added: "Events of the past several weeks have re-

inforced in my mind that the enemies of freedom are many in this world of ours, and that free men must be constantly prepared to contend with them."

General Dozier had a sur-prise Christmas present for his wife, which he presented at the end of his remarks. He said hé had bought it before he was kiduanped but was never able reasons. He then opened a small packet, picked up a gold chain with a Lion of St Mark's pendant, and put it around his Mrs Dozier kissed him on the left cheek and hugged him.

Prominent 'loyalist' shot dead in Belfast

From Richard Ford, Belfast

Mr John was serving in a shop.

Mr McKeague, who had been well known in "loyalist" circles for several years, was murdered in the Albert Bridge Road when a gunman wearing a duffel coat produced a band gun and fired two shots His death renewed fears in Powers Act, only a few minutes

between "loyalist" para-military groups, although and handling charges.

Republican Short-Strand area.

Last Saturday a father and He had been an unsuccessful

McKeague, a Mr McKeague's mother died prominent "loyalist", was shot after a petrol bomb attack on dead in Belfast last night as he her house in the early 1970s.

Mr McKeague, notorious for his links with "loyalist" paramilitary groups, including the "Red Hand", seems to have been most active at that time. He was the first Protestant to be rearrested, under the Special the province of upheavals after a Belfast magistrate had between "loyalist" para-granted him bail on robbery

son were shot dead at their candidate in council elections home in east Belfast by two and in a poil to elect a North- gunmen who burst in in the ern Ireland assembly. - early hours of the morning.

Howe set against reflation Budget

By Philip Webster Political Reporter

Sir Geoffrey Howe, Chan-cellor of the Exchequer, yester-day confirmed the widespread impression emanating from Thursday's meeting of the Cabinet to discuss economic policy that he has decided firmly against including large-scale evantionist measures in scale expansionist measures his Budget in March.

In an uncompromising state-ment of the Government's belief in the need to hold to its present broad economic strategy, Sir Geoffrey said it dare not embrace any policy aimed at creating a few more temporary jobs which jeopard-ized its plans for making Britain more economically efficient and successful. He went on: "This means that we have to reject firmly

and clearly policies which re-quire the creation of either more domestic demand or higher public spending as reliable sources of more growth and jobs. Either would have consequences in terms of in-flation, interest rates or taxation or a combination of them, which would retard the drive for industrial efficiency

and success."

Sir Geoffrey, who was speaking to the Cambridge University Conservative Association, was taking the opportunity of dampening any expectations of significant reflation before he gets down to working on the details of his Budget.

The Chancellor pressed frome the message that he has con-sistently been directing at his critics inside and outside the Cabinet that tackling inflation is essential to the creation of more real jobs and that the two objectives are inseparable.

The notion that high public spending was a reliable engine of growth and jobs was not borne out by recent history or common sense, he said. Boosting monetary demand and increasing public spending as a means of providing growth and jobs had the crucial drawback that they ignored the effect of international pressures on the exchange rate and interest

The Chancellor said that instead of trying to create new markets the Government should promote growtlescand jobs, hy helping existing markets work better, and the most important of those was the labour market. squeezed already low profits, aborting future investment and jobs and pricing their own and other members out of existing

☐ Flour and eggs were thrown at Sir Geoffrey as he ended his speech at the Cambridge Union (the Press Association reports). A small amount of flour landed on Sir Geoffrey, but the eggs fell a few feet

The student who threw the missiles, Mr John Godfrey, aged 19, from Lewes, Sussex, said afterwards it was a demon-stration against the Govern-ment's economic policies. Police said there would be no charges Photograph, page 2 programme."

America repels the redcoats

By Margareta Pagano

The American customs offi cial at New York airport had his suspicions of the man with the 200 tiny tubes full of pills mixed up with glassware and ceramics. He ordered them to be opened up and he pounced when a multi-coloured assortment poured out.

There, amid the green pills, the pink pills, the brown pills and the yellow, were what he was looking for: red pills. They resembled, he declared, a hard drug on illicit sale in the United States. Would the importer explain? It went something like this:

"They are Smarties." "Smarties, smart guy?"

"Yes, officer, they are sweets eaten by British children. They like the different colours. They are made by Mackingosh." "Big Mac is in this too?"
In vain did the importing igent Mr William Reid, junior,

explain. Perhaps it did not come out well. He was experimenting on American children
to see if they liked what Eritish children liked and if they
did he would import lots more.
The customs officer was
adamant. He called in an officer of the United States Foods and Drugs squad.

He took one look and gave his ruling. The green, brown, vellow: and pink Smarties could be admitted. But not the red. For another thing they had cochinelle pigment, banned, in the United States. Mr Reid rose to the chal-lenge. He called in his family. He called in children at the

airport and patiently they went through the 200 tubes of Smarties sorting out the col-ours. When they had finished, hands and faces bright red, they had several hundred red Smarties in a heap.

Could they be eaten? No. they had to be dissolved in boiling water and flushed down a drain before the approved colours were allowed to be repacked and gain admittance.

Mr Reid usually imports glassware through Stirlings of Glasgow. They both believe there might be a real future in Smartles so Stirling packed the influence in Smartles and the rest of the goods. Mr Melville Robinson Stirling discounters of the stirling and stirling discounters of the stirling and stirli son. Stirling's director, com-mented: "We had no idea there could be such prob-lems." Emery Worldwide, the air freight company, were equally flummoxed.

And Glazo Holdings, Bri-tain's main pharmaceuticals company, said they had no idea what drug the red Smarties might resemble

But Rowntree Mackintosh were not so surprised. They produce, said a spokesman, no fewer than six different col-quied sets of Smarties for the 80-odd countries to which they export. "All I can say", he said wearily, "is that trade, and food regulations are now so complex that we have it worked out for us by computer

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Second life term for double killer

was sentenced to his second term of life imprisonment at the Central Criminal Court yesterday. Mr James Miskin, the Recorder of London, described Edward Thomas Wynne, aged 42, as "representing so great a danger to the public" that he was confident he would never be released.

Mrs Veronica Wynne, aged 40, a nurse at Holloway prison, who married Wynne last May, had earlier pleaded for her husband to be sent to a maximum security hospital. "I will stand by him through thick and thin", she said.

Wynne, of Crayford Road, Holloway who worked as a

Holloway, who worked as a computer programmer for Islington council, pleaded griky to the manskaughter of Mrs Erhel Page, aged 75, of Maple Grove, Eating. His denial of murder was accepted on the grounds of diminished

responsibility. Wynne was sentenced to life imprisonment ar Gloucester Assizes in March, 1964, for the murder four months earlier of Mrs Amy Wilson, aged 43, who was battered to death near her home at Studley, Worcester-

He was released on licence in March, 1980. Shortly after in marcia, 1900. Shortly after his marriage he drove the Eating cemetery, where Mrs Page was tending a relative's grave and stabbed her

TV shows police in death inquiry

Viewers can watch detectives investigating a suspicious death in Monday's episode of BBC Television's Police series Thames Valley detectives in Reading, Berkshire, are called to a lodging house where an Irishman in his 70s has been found dead at the bottom of a

The post-mortem examination reveals that the man appeared to have fallen to his death, but the police investigate whether he could have been pushed after an argu-

End exams, **NUT** head says

The leader of the largest teachers' union called yesterday for the abolition of the examination system and its replacement by a system of pupil profiles. king at a Schools Coun-

cil industry project conference at Stoke Rochford, Lincolnshire, Mr Jack Chambers, president of the National Union of Teachers, said that a new system of evaluating pupils was needed. "The president committed to be a second of the president according to the president a ent terminal examinations are less of an assessment of what has or has not been learnt and more of a competitive exer-cise", he said.

Toxteth contest

A £5,000 prize is being offered to the architect who offered to the architect who day stoppage, it is being produces the best design for argued that disruption should new housing estate to be built on a 14-acre site at Tox-teth, in the shadow of Liver-

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Children's furniture made mainly of foam is to be banned from sale because of fire risks, Mrs Sally Oppenheim, Minister for Consumer Affairs, said yesterday. She is to issue a prohibition order under the Consumer Safety Act, 1978.

Level of awards to closed shop rebels criticized

The Government's decision them a right of redress through to pay compensation to more than 400 people dismissed for

Miss Helen Jackson. refusing to join a closed shop between 1974 and 1980 was barrister and member of the Transport and General Work-ers Union whose research into greeted with grudging accept-ance by some yesterday, but the victims of closed shops is believed to have influenced the as being inadequate by others. Mr David Blackwell, aged 44, Government's decision, said she who was dismissed by British Rail in 1976 after almost 17 was pleased with the decision but not pleased with the years' employment, described the offer as "thirty pieces of silver" and added: "It is not compensation that people should ask for, but restitu-

"There seems to be no provision for those who have died, nor are they going to take into account particular suffering as a result of the dismissal. Some have suffered heavily through By British Rail should bring lost opportunities, wrecked careers, broken health and financial hardship.

about £80,000 in compensation, but says: "I do not want money. I want a fulfilling job One who appears to have suffered worst is Mr Rex Frost, now aged 67, who worked for for the country. That could be done anything can be done if they put their minds to it." Under the Government's proposals compensation will be British Transport Hotels for more than 20 years and was one of 54 employees dis-missed by British Rail. He was calculated on the sum an in-dustrial tribunal would have prepared to join the Transport Salaried Staffs' Association, but awarded at the time, if the dismissal had been unfair, plus refused to sign a statement that he supported their objectives interest Factors such as length
of service will be taken into
account, but the maximum
compensation anyone is likely and was dismissed in 1976. He says he has had to sell his house in Blackheath, London, and his furniture and use up the little capital he had.

That compares with the maximum of £16,910 available for similar cases under the Em-Two years ago he suffered a stroke and lost his sense of balance. He lives on a state Employment Act, 1980. The measure will not affect and supplementary

some of the most publicized cases of dismissal for refusing to join a closed shop. The "British Rail Three", who won their case at the European Court of Human Rights, are to ☐ The merger between two print unions has been finally agreed after the Society of Lithographic Artists, Designers, Engravers and Process Workers held a second ballot on the issue. Slade's national council called a secret postal ballot as it was not satisfied that every London member had had a proper chance to vote (the four Walsall school dinner staff Press Association reports). Members of the National Graphical Association had al-ready approved the move and

poultry inspector dismissed by Sandwell council, will also not be compensated, as they were dismissed after the Conservathe new union is likely to come tives' Employment Act, 1980, came into force, which gives into operation from the end of

Rail disruption certain as peace talks founder

Advisory, Conciliation and Arbitration Service (Acas) and train drivers' leaders.

He estimates his dismissal

back, which would be chea

to receive is about £7,000.

be compensated by the Govern-ment with substantial five

figure sums, which have still to be settled.

Cases such as those of the

and Miss Joanna Harris, the

There will be no trains to-morrow and British Rail will bring in only essential main-tenance staff for the day. Services are also expected to be halted next Wednesday and Thursday for the fourth week

Acas officials who have been attempting to set up a com-mittee of inquiry into the dispute, went home last night without gaining any commit-ment from British Rail or Aslef leaders on the terms of reference for such an investi-

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Continuing rail disruption is ded over the wisdom of accept-now certain after the failure of ing a third-party inquiry into peace contacts between the their demands that BR is

cooperating with the Acas initiative; but this balance could be upset in favour of an inquiry if Mr Len Murray, general secretary of the TUC, favours the proposal.

cellations yesterday as guards staged unofficial (Tony Samstag writes).

Southern Region services from Kent. About half the trains from north Kent to Charing Cross and Camon Street were cancelled in the morning, and the figure for Kent as a whole was about a third.

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Pop star's aircraft lands on busy road

craft, with Gary Numan the pop singer, and Mr Tony Webb, his father, on board, crash-landed on a busy road at Botley, near Southampton, yesterdav.

They, with Mr Timothy Steggles, the captain, and Mr Bill Fowler, a record company executive, escaped injury.

The four were returning from a music festival in Cannes when the aircraft developed Cars made emergency stops as

it came in under power cables, its wings straddling hedges on each side of the A3051. The aircraft ploughed to a stop almost on the front doorstep

Workers at the BL lorry and tractor factory at Bathgate, West Lothian, Scotland, ended a week-long sit-in yesterday after the company obtained a court order ordering them to

court order ordering them to

leave. As the workers left the

factory they said the fight to

save jobs there would continue.

Members of the workers' action committee had been

occupying it for a week. The

factory had been at a standstill because of a strike that started

over proposals by the company to make 1,300 workers

Leyland is planning to cut more than 4,000 jobs in its lorry and bus division, 1,300 of

burgh, ordering the members

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of a house beside the road. Mr Peter Nash, the landlord of a public house near by, said: . it's incredible that it got down safely. It just belly-flopped, blocking the whole road." A fireman said: "I would

have said it was absolutely impossible to land a plane

there. It was marvellous pilot-

After recovering from the shock of the forced landing Gary Numan said: "We had an alternator failure, then the

engine began to falter. We switched fuel tanks, but we may have had a fuel blockage.

We should have had two when we came down. When we

left France we had seven ing what had just happened."
hours' endurance, and had only been flying for five hours."

Numan ran into bad weather He added: "We were trying to get into Southampton Airport to see what the trouble was when the engine cut out again, and we had to make the forced landing. We were pretty lucky. The only damage to the plane seems to be a bent prop." Gabrielle Loth, aged 17, of Oak Tree Cottage, which was almost hit by the aircraft, said:

I heard a crash and ran outside to see the plane just two or three yards away. "When Gary jumped out he shouted, 'Keep away It might

blow up. Call the police. "He was very calm consider-

pint of beer, making a total increase of 61p, and 2p on a

measure of spirits, making a

The offer of an "amnesty

to anyone who has given in-

formation to the security forces

about the IRA has been made

by that organization. Anyone

information was given and

and what was passed on will

escape punishment the IRA

☐ An appeal to Northern Ireland politicians to give the

Government's tentative pro-posals for a devolved govern-

ment in the province a chance

of succeeding was made last night by Mr John Patten, Under Secretary of State for Northern Ireland.

Mr James Prior, Northern

Ireland Secretary, and Senator James Dooge, Irish Minister

for Foreign Affairs, met for

talks in London yesterday on political, economic security

writes). It was the first meet-

Anglo-Irish Inter-Governmental Council.

correspondent

who tells the IRA how the

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said yesterday.

on a test flight from Wisley, Surrey, and had to make an emergency landing at RAF Odiham, Hampshire. On a recent attempt to circle the world in the same aircraft he made a forced landing in a military area in India and was held in custody for 48 hours.

The Indian experience ended the singer's first round-the-world attempt. When he tried again, his aircraft was grounded near the Arctic Circle

with an oil leak, and then in Pakistan. He had to fly to Britain and back for a replace-

Vets form factory farm lobby

By John Young Agriculture Correspondent

A group of veterinary surintensive farming methods have formed an association with the aim of presenting an "objec-tive picture" of the issue to the public.

The Association of Veterin-arians Concerned about Animal Husbandry believes that the present combination of European Economic Community regulations, taxation relief measures and public expectation of abundant cheap food is forcing farmers to adopt ever more intensive methods. They often involve various unacceptable features of animal abuse.

Mr Guy Yeoman, a member of the association's steering committee, said yesterday that he and his colleagues were not aligning themselves with the so-called animal welfare lobby. On the contrary, he said, it

between commercial agriculture on the one hand welfare lobbyists on the other that had persuaded them of the need for an independent professional association,

The association was disap-pointed by the Government's apparent rejection of the recommendations in the Commons Agriculture Committee's report on animal welfare, which was published last July. The association's first objective would be to press for their implementation.

Among objectionable practices, Mr Yeoman listed the rearing of yeal calves in cages in which the animals were unable to turn.

With pigs it was simply a matter of over-intensive breeding and rearing, Mr Yeoman said. The high cost of erecting and maintaining large buildings led inexorably to what had become known as factory

farming.
The Ministry of Agriculture denied last night that it had rejected the Commons commit tee's recommendations. It was still considering them together with a report by the Farm Ammals Welfare Council, and would be publishing its views

TEST TUBE **DONATION**

Mr Patrick Steptoe and Dr Robert Edwards, who pioneered the test tube baby technique, last night defended the idea of giving spare human embryos to unrelated infertile couples. They made it clear, however, that they had not yet contemplated carrying out such an operation, which required careful assessment. Mr Steptoe and Dr Edwards made clear their views in a

statement to the Press Associa-tion. It follows press comment on embryo transfer, and the decision by the Royal College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists to set up a committee of doctors to examine test tube baby techniques.
The statement said: "In the

rare event where neither husband nor wife can provide their own sperm or egg, a family could be established by embryo transfer with or without the help of freezing. We believe this step would be acceptable provided certain precautions are taken.
"There must be careful

selection of the donor parents and a full appraisal of the motivation of the recipient couple, just as practised by adoption agencies now, and within the framework of φÍ current legislation."

Plant that can kill the cattle tick

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By the Staff of "Nature"

Tropical and subtropical agriculture may benefit substantially from an Australian discovery that two species of a South American pasture legume will kill off the larvae of cattle ticks. The authors of the research, scientists working for the Common. wealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organization; suggest that growing the leguminous plants together with more conventional pas-ture grasses would substan-tially reduce the population of cattle ticks.

For ticks to infect animals such as cattle, their large must first climb up the stalk. must first climb up the stalks of foliage, whence they are transferred to their hosts by contact. Robert W. Sutherst Raymond J. Jones and Rector Schitzerling say that the tick larvae may lie in wait in pasture plants for several weeks before being picked up by a passing animal or dying. They are transformed into adult ticks only when established on animal tissue.

That some plants are hostile environments for tick larvae is well known, but the most familiar of these molasses grass, appears to have only a small effect on the survival of tick larvae. But two species of legumin ous plants of the genus Stylosanthes imported into Australia from Australia from South America have been shown America have ocen summing the course of expen-ments carried out in Queen-land to be much more hazardous environments for tick larvae.

The plants concerned which, like other legumes are able to turn nitroger from the samosphere into usable chemicals, are poten-tially a numritious supple ment to herbage grasses Both of the species tested in Queensland produce sticky secretions which trap the larvae of animal ticks. The surprise in what has

now been done, however, is that the larvae are not killed simply because they are immobolized, but are poisoned by a vapour given off by the secretion from the plant. The chemical identity of this material has not be established, but there is at least a chance that the time may come when pasture could be furnigated to remove ticks.

Even planting Stylosanthes plants should by itself be beneficial. It is calculated that the density of tick larvae might be reduced by more than 1 per cent by a sufficient density of lettal plants, which are said to grow well in tropical and subtropical regions. Source: Nature, Volume 295, page 320 (28 January) 1982.

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UMIST VOTE TO CUT **360 POSTS** By Diana Geddes

The court of the University of Manchester Institute of (Umist) vesterday approved m academic plan involving cits among departments ranging from 3 per cent to more than 40 per cent, and a loss of 360 academic and non-academic posts.

Umist is believed to be the first university institution whose plan for selective curs and redundancies has passed the final hurdle of approval by the court. The institute's plan been approved by 25 vot to 14 by its academic board and also by its council.

Two weeks ago academics at the institute passed a vote of no confidence in Professor R. N. Hazeldine, the principal for the way he had handled the crisis. Umist's grant is to be cut by 30 per cent by 198384, and that is expected to lead to a 24 per cent cut in its

income. ☐ The Institute of Orthogas dies within London University agreed in the High Court yesterday to suspend for two weeks the effect of notices to minating the employment of three of its lecturers to give the lecturers time to decide whether to opt for compens-tion under one new national redundancy scheme for university academics, or whether to persist in their High Court action against the institute for breach of contract.

The three lecturers claim that their contracts give then security of tenure in their julis until retirement at 65. Last October they were given three months' notice by the institute, which was due to expire of January 31.

CORRECTION

The second sentence in our report yesterday on supplementary benefits for school-leavers should have read: "It (the Government) has found no evidence to suggest that the new rules (on eligibility for benefit) dense potential examination candidates from staying on to gain qualifications." The word "no" was omitted. omitted

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By Paul Routledge, Labour Editor

running because of the pay and productivity dispute, and the Associated Society of Loco-motive Engineers and Fire-men's executive is considering new "guerika" tactics.

Instead of the weekly twospread unpredictable users find it more diffimilt to heat the strikes.

Aslef leaders are under-I stood to be almost evenly divi-

obliged to pay a 3 per cent wage rise due from January 1. Aslef sources say that the executive is split 4—3 against

London commuters on Southern and Eastern Regions suffered long delays and can-

them at Barbgate, which em-ploys 3,600 men. Tractor production there is to be sold off to a private company in Lin-Members of the National Union of Railwaymen failed to colnshire. The other job losses are to be in Lancashire, where 8,400 men are on strike at the report for work at Slade 8,400 men are on strike at the Green, Plumstead, Adiscombe company's Leyland and Chorand Cannon Street, crippling ley factories over the proley factories over the proposals. Earlier yesterday the company won an interim interdict at the Court of Session, Edin-

of the strike committee to On Eastern Region, where guards at Shoeburyness struck for 24 hours, services were down to a third during the leave-the factory. The company said the continuing occupation might cause serious damage and was delaying the introducday, and perhaps a quarter at tion of a new model.

Tax concessions in Courtorder ends sit-in FitzGerald package at BL plant

From Richard Ford, Dublin

The Cabinet of Dr Garret ing to 1310 the increase on a itzGerald's coalition govern-packet of 20 cigarettes, 2p on a FitzGerald's coalition govern-ment met for most of yester-day after it became clear that the Labour Party would not fight the general election campaign on a joint ticket with their Fine Gael partners. But in an obvious attempt

o make it easier for Labour MPs and party workers to defend the tough Budget proposals at the hustings, part of a key proposal was dropped. But Labour could not get concessions on the proposal to withdraw subsidies on butter

and milk. However, there is a price to be paid and if returned the Government will increase the cost of beer, spirits and cigar-ettes at double the foreign holiday levy.

In a statement issued at Leinster House, where the Dail meets, the Government con-ceded that if it was reelected the controversial plan to introduce value-added tax at 18 per cent for the first time on footwear and clothing would not apply to articles for children under the age of ten.

To pay for the concessions, the Government would put an extra 2p on 20 cigarettes, bring-

Tory is

Hillhead's stored undaunted

matters

From John Witherow Glasgow

Choosing his words carefully, he told his first press conference yesterday that he was not daunted by Mr Jenkins. "He is a man of considerable political stature, but at the end of the day this election

☐ Mr Wedgwood Benn yesterday carefully left open the door for a challenge by him

Danger in breast milk

Mr Gerald Malone, the solicitor selected by the Con-servatives to defend Glasgow, Hillhead, against the by-election challenge of Mr Roy Jenkins and the Liberal-SDP Alliance, would not welcome being described as cannon odder for the southern carpet bagger ".

He does have some experience of playing David to Goliath. In 1979 he unsuccess-Golath. In 1979 he unsuccessfully challenged Mr David Steel, the Liberal leader, for the Roxburgh, Selkirk and Peebles seat, and in the next two months he will be trying to stave off the advance of Mr Loxling who is carding to Jenkins, who is seeking to overturn a Conservative overturn majority of 2,000.

Mr Malone, aged 31, is self-confident man. He was described by a leading Conser-vative as "a bright, able and thrusting young candidate". His selection on Thursday night came as something of a surprise. The apparent favourite, Mr Leonard Turpie, was not even in the final selection

is not going to be decided by the individual status of the candidate; it is going to be about policies."

for leadership or deputy leadership of the Labour Party before the next general election (Philip Webster writes). During an interview on independent television's After Noon Plus programme in which he adamantly declined to say that he would not be standing again, Mr Benn appeared to be suggesting that his position was dependent on the Labour leadership's fulfilling certain

By Annabel Ferriman Health Services Correspondent

Indiscriminate use of stored human breast milk for premature babies has been attacked as ill advised by Dr Herbert Barrie, consultant paediatrician at the Charing Cross Hospital, London. Writing in this week's Lancet, he says: "The cavalier feeding of unsterile, unsupplemented breast milk to small,

premature babies in the blind faith that it is full of natural goodness and antibacterial protection of unsurpassable potency should be strongly condemned ".

Modified milks used for arti ficial feeding are safe and convenient and even the smallest premature babies thrive on them, he says.

Premature babies fed on expressed breast milk grow less well than those given a modified cows milk formula, thus giving rise to concern about later physical and intellectual development. "Babies who grow more slowly leave hospital later, ironically jeopardizing the hoped for establishment of

natural breast-feeding, perhaps one of the main reasons for using breast milk in the first Premature babies given only expressed breast milk suffer from a lack of sodium, protein and calories, though those deficiencies can be avoided by adding certain

minerals and vitamins.

Dr Barrie praises the guide to setting up human milk banks for premature babies produced by a committee set up by the Department of Health and Social Security. ☐ The number of reported cases of whooping cough is continuing to rise. The provisional total for the week ended January 22 was 1,150, com-pared to 701 and 853 in the two preceding weeks. The total for the first three weeks of the year was 2,704 compared with 1,751 and 933 for the same periods in 1980 and 1981 respectively. The figures suggest that an epidemic is developing, which can last 18

3 nights February 28, 1982 Delhi – Agra – Jaipur – Delhi conditions, adding that in any case the decision was not for him alone to make. المحددا من الأصل

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SUMMARY

BBC series

computers

to cost more

People buying the micro-computers to be used in

conjunction with a BBC television series will have to pay more for the two models

rom next Monday. Delivery delays have been caused by a shortage of components (Kenneth Gosling writes). The basic model will now

cost £299 and the enhanced

version £399, an increase of £64. Customers who have

placed orders or place them before next Monday will pay the original prices. The BBC and the suppliers, Acorn Computers Ltd, said yesterday that the original pricing structure had proved too optimistic.

So far 12,000 people have placed orders for the complex placed orders placed o

placed orders for the com-puters, the use of which will be explained in a series of programmes starting next

month. They are already being seen by schools and colleges. Inquiries about the

project are reaching the BBC at the rate of 1,000 a day.

Production increases should make it possible for

iurged belt in their

Store challenge to cheap fares on rates

threw out a plan by the by no means immoral previous administration to Mr Kenneth Livingstone, raise bus fares by 15 per cent Labour leader of the GLC, is and instead decided to cut not among the signatories, fares by 10 per cent. That but Mr David Wetzel, chairfares by 10 per cent. That cost £2.5m and the extra 6p in the pound rate bill levied also covered the cost of shadowing substantial abandoning substantial cuts in services, according to county council leaders.

Liberal-controlled Liverpool City Council re-fused to send out the sup-plementary demands and had threatened to challenge the county council, but no steps have been taken. Recently the House of Lords outlawed a supplementary rate to cover the cost of cheaper bus and Tube fares levied by the Greater London Council.

☐ Left-wing Labour councillors on the GLC called yesterday for a mass boycott of London Transport's bus yesterday for a mass boycott of London Transport's bus and Tube fares if they are involved if necessary, but it increased in March (Robin will be for individuals to

A writ was served on Mr John McDonnell, GLC Merseyside County Council councillor for Hayes and yesterday to challenge its Harlington, suggested printdemand for an extra £11m ing alternative tickets and from ratepayers to help to slips explaining that paspay for reduced bus fares.

Permission to challenge the excess fare, so that the the rate was granted to Great London Transport system

When Labour won control urge Londoners to action of the council last May it "which is certainly illegal but

man of the GLC transport committee, is.

Mr Wetzel said yesterday: I am convinced this drastic last-ditch campaign will not be necessary. But we are saying that we are prepared to break the law in protest against a legal decision which was politically biased and nocratic. "Withholding payment is

very much a traditional way of protest in this country. I will not hesitate to get involved if necessary, but it will be for individuals to make their own decision."

"Withholding payment is very much a traditional way

Detention, jail for rapists

rapists yesterday. Rejecting a cadet meeting defence pleas that one of "She was worried and it them should be sent to was arranged that the boys borstal and the others be would escort her home but placed in council care, he while crossing some fields said: "I have to mark the fact she was grabbed and forced that society will not tolerate to the ground. Noble and such conduct". Priest each held an arm and

three admitted rape.

Mr Peter Joyce, for the woman traveller at East prosecution at Notfingham Crown Court, said the girl and the youths lived in a loss than three weaks later. council-run children's home. less than three weeks later

He said that the youths' leg, and Harley raped her.
names could be published "In D Leslie Parfitt, aged 22, a
order that it may deter British Rail trackman who raped a woman, and later

Two of the youths, Christopher Noble, aged 15, and Charles Harley, aged 16, rape, was jailed for eight were sentenced to three years at the Central Criminal years detention. Mark Court yesterday
Anthony Priest, aged 17, was jailed for three years. All cent, Croydon, was found three admitted rape. guilty of raping a stranded

Trials for Polaris with new warhead

By Henry Stanhope Defence Correspondent

A fresh series of trials involving Britain's Polaris missiles with their controversial new Chevaline war-head are expected this week-end on the American test range off Cape Canaveral.

There will be at least two firings from HMS Renown, one of the Royal Navy's four ballistic missile submarines and the first to be equipped with Chevaline when it comes into operational service this

constitute the navy's accept-ance trials, certainly the last for Renown before it takes Chevaline to sea on its next patrol. HMS Revenge will be the next to be refitted, at the Navy's nuclear arms depot at

Coulport, Scotland.

Each of Renown's two crews will fire the new-look Polaris, the first being the so-called Starboard crew under Commander P. B. Ryan, who will hand over to the Post series and series who will be the Post series will be the post the Port crew under Com-mander D. L. P. Evans. The Starboard team took Reuwon to the range this week, and their colleagues will sail her

There have been 13 development trials, but none since November, 1980. That last series disclosed diffi-culties over the separation process when the warheads and decoys are detached, and more firings planned for last summer were cancelled. Now scientists believe thay have corrected the fault.

Chevaline has been a contoversial subject ever

since Mr Francis Pym, then Secretary of State for Defence, disclosed details of the programme in January, 1980, and admitted to a cost Mr Justice Bush came The girl was going to an down heavily on three young evening class and the boys to of £1,000m. Since then the bill has continued to rise. Apart from the cost, however, few experts inside or outside the Ministry of Defence now consider the project to have been neces-

> the Soviet Union that has any ballistic missile defences. But proponents of Chevaline argued in the early 1970s that Britain needed to ensure that Polaris could penetrate to its Moscow targets until it was replaced by a more advanced system, such as Trident The growing number of critics point out, however, that the ability to hit Moscow is not essential to make the deterrent effective, and that even if it were, Polaris could still probably do the job, with or without Chevaline.



No welcome for a hillside on the move

Even from a distance Mynydd James looks menacing; oak trees grow at absurd angles, new streams appear to trace silver furrows down the sparce slopes, and huge boulders, shed from the cliff face by immense pressures within the mountain, perch dagerously over the town of Blaina (Tim Jones writes from

Gwent). Since most people can remember, the mountain has been moving, but now its march has accelerated and 89 families have been told they should be rehoused while engineers attempt to control the advance.

Lying in their beds the families can hear the mountain cracking as it pushes huge banks of earth and debris nearer their properties. Most

Rosie Swale, the round the

world yachtswoman, was given a 15-month suspended

jail sentence yesterday for burglary at a village shop

near her cottage in west

Tracey Stamp, aged 45, a former merchant sailor who has had a sex change operation, received a three-month

suspended sentence for the

same offences. Both sen-

tences were suspended for

yudge Charles Pitchford, sentencing the couple at Newport Crown Court, Gwent, said that they had been guilty of "deliberate

and cunning offences", but

he was prepared to give them

Swale and Stamp had been just on in custody for six weeks future after they were found guilty of jail."

another chance to lead better

families live in neat, well kept terrace houses and despite the danger are extremely reluctant to leave. The position is complicated by the submission of the local auth-orities and the National Coal Board (NCB) that the movement of Mynydd James is an act of God; therefore no

one is legally responsible.

Gwent County Council estimates that a £3m scheme might halt the slide and is trying to secure aid from the NCB and the Welsh Office. While the financial sparring continues, the residents of Bourneville Road, where 60 homes are said to be highly at risk, are convinced the blame lies with the coal board.

Over the decades shafts were driven into the mountainside until it

Counsel for Stamp said

that she had learnt a lesson after nearly six weeks in custody and was no longer so dependent on Swale. Swale said after the hear-

ing: "It was horrible in the

remand prison and I am glad to be out. My main task at the moment is to find my two children. I have not seen them for so long, and I am very concerned about them."

Golf course murder

Police in West Yorkshire said yesterday that the case of a

boy whose body was found on a golf course at Wakefield

on Thursday was being

ief Secretary to the Treasury from 1974 to 1979, tells the inside story of the

treated as murder.

Suspended sentence for Rosie Swale

at Swansea after a 10-day

They stole food, drink and cigarettes in several raids on a village shop near their home, Cape Horn Cottage, at Pen-ffordd, near Haverfordwest, Dyfed.

The judge told Swale: "I think that what you have given in more arriver adversion."

given in your earlier adven-turous life and the courage you have shown deserves some credit." But the couple had stolen from local people who had befriended and trusted them.

"I am glad that the weeks

spent in prison have brought

you face to face with the realities and consequences of criminal action", the 'judge said. "I only hope that what I

am going to do will not be just one step towards your future degradation in or out

They stole food, drink and

gorgonzola cheese. Locals claim that millions of gallons of water is trapped inside, straining to burst out. The board denies responsibility, claiming that the movement is part of a natural geological fault

Mr Alan Williams, whose home is under threat, said: "We believe the board accepted responsibility for the slippage some years ago when they repaired free of charge some houses in the terrace which had been damaged by cracks.

An NCB spokesman said: "Mining is one of many factors thought to have played a part in the processes at work; but its extent and effect are not precisely identifiable

listened to

Breakdown men

police messages Police became suspicious when six breakdown vehicles arrived at the scene of a road accident in a side street a few minutes after a police radio broadcast concerning the

Investigations showed that the drivers were using wire less telegraphy equipment with intent to obtain information as to the contents of police messages. At Hendon Magistrates' Court, in Lon-Magistrates' Court, in London, yesterday three men were fined under the Wireless Telegraphy Act.
Paul O'Reilly, of Cricklewood, Leonard Douglas Leathers, of Hendon, London, were each fined £200 with £40 costs. Richard Chew, of Oakley, Hampshire, was fined £100 with £30 costs.

Mark Bowers, of Manor Haigh Road, Lupset, Wake-field, was found with severe was fined £100 with £30 costs.

all outstanding orders to be cleared by the end of March, the BBC and Acorn said. **New centre for** police studies

A centre for police studies, the first of its kind in Britain, is to be set up in the department of administration Strathclyed University, Glasgow. The department has been

invloved over the past 10 years in drawing up police management courses at the Scottish Police College in Stirlingshire. Degree and diploma course in organizational analysis are planned for serving police officers, and consultancy services to individual forces in the United Kingdom will be offered.

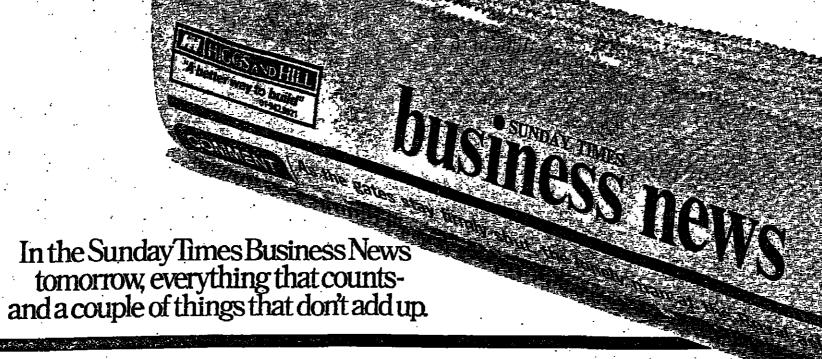
The centre aims to promote a wider understanding of "the problems and dilemmas of policing in a democratic society".

Detective reinstated

Det. Chief Inspector Maurice Garmston, aged 43, of the Humberside police, who was cleared of incitement to burglary at York Crown Court on Thursday, was reinstated yesterday. Mr Garmston was suspended two years ago when the investi-

OI thought I had done a fair amount of juggling with figures as an accountant.

But when it came to the 'massaging' and fudging'I learned as Chief Secretary I realised I had been a babe in arms



THE SUNDAY TIMES

Most Sunday papers talk business. Only one has always made a separate issue of it.

Angola may release mercenaries

possibility that the seven British mercenaries imprisoned since the civil war in the mid-1970s might be released before they have served their full sentences of between 16 and 30 years (David Cross writes).

Mr Luis de Almeida, the Angolan ambassador France, said in London it was "very possible" that Luanda might decide to be generous towards the seven Britons and two Americans imprisoned on similar charges. He said he did not know, however, how soon their release might be.

Mr de Almeida was responding to a question about the possible release of Western prisoners in exchange for two Soviet airmen held by Unita, the main Angolan

insurgent group.
Yesterday, Mr de Almeida
discussed Southern African
problems with Mr Richard
Luce, Minister of State at the

Arrest in envoy murder case

Los Angeles. — Within a few hours of the murder of Mr Kemal Arikan, the Turkish Consul-General here, police arrested a young man, aged 19, and charged him with the killing (Ivor Davis

Police and the FBI traced a car licence plate at the scene of the shooting and arrested four people. Two youths were eventually released, a woman was held for ques-tioning and a fourth, ident-ified as Harry Sassounian, was charged.

Radiation leak in laboratory

Ottawa. Thirty-five employees of a Canadian atomic energy laboratory were accidentally exposed to radioactive contamination when an air ventilator broke

They underwent immediate decontamination and were sent home for 24 hours, while the laboratory was closed for cleaning and decontamination. No traces of the contaminant, Molybdene 99, used in hospitals for diagnostic purposes, were found outside the laboratory.

Dispute settled on Czech gold

Prague. — The United States, Britain and Czecho-slovakia have reached agreement on a 35-year dispute over restitution of some 18.5 tons of gold stolen from Czechoslovakia by the Nazis during the Second World

The agreement signed here provides for the return of the gold, held in New York and London, and for compensation to be paid to British and United States nationals whose property was nationalized here between 1945 and 1948.

Dacca MPs to meet

Dacca. — President Abdus Sattar summoned the Bangladesh Parliament to meet for the winter session on Febru ary 15. It will be the first session after the assassination of President Zia ur-Rahman last May in an unsuccessful army coup

Sea Treaty move Washington. — Mr Norman d'Amours, chairman of a key House of Representatives committee, says President Reagan has decided to resume United States participation in negotiations to draft an international law of the sea treaty.

Gunman killed

San Francisco.—A man killed two people and wounded seven when he opened fire with a rifle in a crowded office building before being shot dead in a gun battle with police. He was not named.

Three Spanish journal-

ists recently completed a

gruelling 15,000km jour-

ney in a standard Freight

van travelled from Madrid

to Birmingham in just

twenty two days, having

driven the length and breadth of Europe, pass-

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Poland tense as rise in food prices approaches

From Roger Boyes, Warsaw, Jan 29

reports that several groups of workers are planning go-slows or other forms of industrial protest from Monday.

Travellers arriving from the port of Gdansk say that at least one shipyard — the Lenin yard, birthplace of the Solidarity union — will be shut down by the authorities and possibly on Monday and possibly Tuesday to head off the possibility of unrest.
The militia presence in

Warsaw has been particularly evident over the past 24 hours and some soldiers at roadblocks have put bayonets back on their rifles. Unofficial sources say that some form of police round-up is expected over the weekend with the aim of temporarily detaining any potential pro-

est organizers. Apart from Gdansk, where and in the Ursus tractor factory in the Warsaw suburbs.

speaking, illegal unless it can be proved that they have been organized by specific

as people sought to stockpile congregations of young before the price rises come into effect on Monday. Many tent over food price rises complaints over heard in the queues centred on the price of meat

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troops and riot police are take off d billeted in five central War- the week.

The Polish authorities are approaching next week's food price rises with considerable anxiety amid to monitor by the authorities most of the day though they and which are not, strictly seem to have no specific

> The police are likely to stay on alert all week because students are due back in the queues — even longer than universities on February 4 usual — outside food shops and the combination of large

However there seems to be economically little chance of immediate sound, many of the price rioting on the scale of rises seem to be calculated to previous years, partly because maximum psychological reaction among ordinary shoppers. Thus the cheap because the real effects will meat staples such as sausage not be felt for at least a will be subject to the most week.

ent for most varieties of Most poles supplement their ration entitlement with Above all, the authorities selective buying on the Above all, the authorities selective buying on the atmosphere is reported to be tense, unofficial reports say that protests are planned in some Wroclaw factories and in the Ursus tractor factory in the Warsaw

Above all, the authorities selective buying on the private markets where for unrest that has accompanied on the private markets where for unrest that has accompanied on the private markets where for unrest that has accompanied on the private markets where for unrest that has accompanied on the private markets where for unrest that has accompanied on the private markets where for unrest that has accompanied on the private markets where for unrest that has accompanied on the private markets where for unrest that has accompanied on the private markets where for unrest that has accompanied on the private markets where for unrest that has accompanied on the private markets where for unrest that has accompanied on the private markets where for unrest that has accompanied on the private markets where for unrest that has accompanied on the private markets are lakely to private markets are lakely to the private markets are lakely to the private markets where for unrest that has accompanied on the private markets are lakely to the private markets are lakely to the private markets where for unrest that has accompanied on the private markets where for unrest that has accompanied on the private markets where for unrest that has accompanied on the private markets where for unrest that has accompanied on the private markets where for unrest that has accompanied on the private markets where for unrest that has accompanied on the private markets where for unrest that has accompanied on the private markets where for unrest that has accompanied on the private markets where for unrest that has accompanied on the private markets where for unrest that has accompanied on the private markets are lakely or the private markets are

Economy slides into chaos

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by 2 per cent in 1979 and 4 per cent in 1980, the year growing labour unrest and plies were short throughout strikes began to shake the 1981, and there now is country's economic and pol-rationing of meat, sugar, itical foundations. butter, flour, cereals and itical foundations. butte Today's report said overall soap.

Chad ready

with rebels

Foreign Minister, has con-

President Goukouni Oueddei.

ploying troops among the

African peace-keeping force in Chad and threatened to

"Libya, which previously decided not to send military forces (to Chad) even if requested to do so, cannot stand firm with its arms

folded towards the presence of American forces in Chad,"

statement from Tripoli said. Washington denied the

charge. In December four US

transport aircraft delivered

to Zaire an ambulance, tents

and rations for the Zairean troops in the force. The military personnel who made

the delivery had returned to the United States, the US Defence Department said. Mr Daniel Arap Moi, chairman of the Organization of African Unity, has made a

statement deploring the fact that some African countries had not fulfilled their prom-

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Warsaw, Jan 29. — industrial output last year fell by 19 per cent and market supplies were down by 11 per cent. The "nominal fall in income level for 1981, according to government statistics released today.

It was the third successive year of decline for what communist governments call the "Produced National Income", roughly their equivalent of gross national product as a basic measure of their economies.

The figures, contained in the annual review of the economy, prompted the party paper Trybuna Ludu to speak of chaos on a colossal scale.

"The economy, in order to emerge from the crisis for good, needs primarily peace and order, brought about by

industrial output last year fell by 19 per cent and market supplies were down market supplies were down more by 11 per cent. The "nominal monetary incomes" of Poles rose by 31 per cent while the cost of living jumped by 25 per cent.

In its commentary Trybuna Ludu said: "One can hardly resist the impression that the processes which took place in our economy were governed more by the forces of unchecked inertia and accident than by well thought-out activity, that economic phenomena were being shaped by the unpardonable political stuggle rather than by economic laws, mechanisms and prudence".

The report said disruptive

market. But it did not go into details on this.

Food and consumer sup-

The report said Poland had a trade deficit of £1,100m in 1981. Exports were down by 14.6 per cent while imports fell by 12.2 per cent. But the trade deficit with the West was reduced to £300m from

However, its overall deficit with other communist countries more than doubled, reaching £1,100m. The deficit with the Soviet Union alone amounted to £1,090m.

Trade with developing nations moved into a surplus of £315m from a deficit of

Poland's foreign debt when martial law was declared amounting to \$25,500m (£1,350m) and 3,300m roubles

The report said overall agricultural output rose in 1981, with better grain and root crops, but animal pro-duction declined because of cuts in grain and feed imports.

Grain imports totalled /. million tonnes, and food imports were up by nearly a third, the report said. —

Chancellor threatens to resign over jobs

From Patricia Clough Bonn, Jan 29

Habre, but not with their Free Democratic (SPD-FPD) leader, Mr Acyl Ahmat the unemployment programme, it was disclosed today.

The Chancellor's move was have regained ground since the withdrawal last year of a Libyan force which has come to halter the halter than the same and the same an The rebels are reported to inconclusive debate to bolster the army of how to finance the scheme. In theory, they were sup-posed to have a plan ready Before the Libyans arrived the forces of Mr Habre, the for Cabinet approval next Wednesday, but they still look as far from agreement former Defence Minister had taken large areas of Eastern as when they began talks nearly two weeks ago. The Libyans this week accused Washington of de-

Both parties agree that, with unemployment expected to reach the 1,900,000 mark at the end of this month, a job-creation programme is essential.

But, while Herr Hans Matthöfer (SPD), the Finance Minister, favours an increase in the tax on petrol and mineral oil, the Social Democrats as a whole — and apparently the Chancellor himself — would like to bring forward a planned increase in value added tax. Count Otto

By Our Foreign Staff
The Chad Government is ready to negotiate with the rebel forces of Hissene
The Chad Government is threatened to resign if leading the VAT option, has now changed his mind but never-theless is opposed to an oil strength of their military and the changed his mind but never-theless is opposed to an oil strength of their military and the changed his mind but never-theless is opposed to an oil strength of their military and the changed his mind but never-theless is opposed to an oil strength of their military and the changed his mind but never-theless is opposed to an oil strength of their military and the changed his mind but never-theless is opposed to an oil strength of their military and the change of The Chancellor's threat, made

> in the course of this week's discussions, was disclosed today by Herr Herbert Wehner, the SPD Bundestag floor leader. He said that the Chancellor has given a warning that, if the parties cannot overcome their differences and produce a programme of guidelines for the coming years, within the framework of the Government's annual occurrence source for the issued economic report (to be issued next week) "they can do it without me".

This is the second issue on which Herr Schmidt has threatened to resign. He has repeatedly and firmly said that, if the Social Democrats withdraw their support for the Nato deploy-and-negotiate missile policy, they will have to find another Chancellor.

The Social Democrats whose popularity is at an alltime low, know that without him the coalition's lays would

Anti-ice mechanism off when jet crashed

From Michael Hamlyn, New York, Jan 29

An anti-icing device was increased concern about the turned off in the engine of the Air Florida Boeing 737 when it crashed in Washington on January 13. Mr Francis McAdams, a

member of the National Transportation Safety Board, said yesterday: "The preliminary investigation indicates that the engine anti-ice system was off at the time of impact. We have not deter-mined whether it had been used during the pre-takeoff ground operation".

The Safety Board, which is investigating the crash that killed 74 of the 79 people on board and four people driv-ing across the 14th St Bridge over the Potomac River, indicated that one of their concerns is a possible accumulation of ice around an inlet pressure probe (known as a PT2).

If the tube of the probe was blocked with ice the crew would get a false reading of the flow of air into the engine, and would not realize that they were suffering a loss of power.
Mr McAdams said that

although ground crews had de-iced the aircraft it waited at least another 43 minutes One problem or the present before taking off, and there control system is that the was evidence that new ice radar ground stations trans-

may have formed. Fighting back

airlines to adhere strictly to safety procedures for cold weather flying. The board's expressed concern about the

danger in having aircraft queuing up on the runway for takeoff. Exhaust from the front aircraft throws back condensation freezes on the engine inlets and wing leading edges of those behind. They ask air traffic controllers to keep aircraft at terminal gates until they can go directly to takeoff.
The Federal

Aviation Administration is also planning a complete moderniza-tion of the air traffic control system over the next 20 years. The new system, unveiled yesterday by Mr Lynn Helms, the chairman of the FAA, will use the most recent development in computer and transmission technology and could save upwards of \$25,000m (about £13,000m) in the two decades and thereby pay for itself. A much smaller force of controllers will be needed

mit simultaneously to

and responsibility for hand-ling the talks will soon be handed to a new special negotiator, Mr Richard Fair-Although there have been public references to slight but unspecified progress over statemen

> anxious for an agreement on a broad "statement of principles" in advance of the April 26 withdrawal from Sinai, the Egyptians have expressed firm opposition to such a tactic. Instead, their public comments are now Mr Peter Mills (West Devon, C), much more insistent that an acceptable form of autonomy should be aimed at leading

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Rome. — Signor Carlo Ponti, the film producer, has been cleared of a charge involving illegal export of currency. An appeal court ruled that he and two others had no case to answer. He was originally sentenced in the products, if it was not stretching the English language was originally sentenced in the products of the great rewards for the unscrupulous. ment yesterday because of congestion and interference. January, 1979. in charges

EEC states grudgingly pay their contributions From Ian Murray, Brussels, Jan 29

pictured above, homeless, is one of the luckier ones. He is in the care of an

organization which tries to help the

worst cases, the Foundation for the wellbeing of the Under aged (Febem). In Sao Paulo, the richest state in Brazil,

where there are an estimated 400,000

needy children, Febem centres are responsible for some 80,000

All ten EEC member states its control into an area where are going to pay in full their the governments alone, contributions to the 1982 through the Council of community budget which fall Ministers, believe they can

Brazil has 16m needy children

One of the large numbers of needy children who present a problem of enormous dimensions in Brazil. An estimated 16 million are described as

being on the margins of society and

more than 100 children are abandoned

in doorways or hospitals each month in

Rio de Janeiro alone (Patrick Knight writes from Sao Paulo). The child

Mubarak

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Cairo, Jan 29.—President Hosni Mubarak of Egypt was quoted today as saying that the Soviet Union would eventually have a role to play in the Middle East peace

process and he envisaged a

time when relations between Cairo and Moscow would return to normal (Reuter

reports).
His statements, published by the semi-official news-

paper Al Ahram, gave fresh indications that Egypt wants to maintain a more balanced relationship with the super-

powers than under President

Anwar Sadat, Al Ahram was

quoting from an interview given by Mr Mubarak to

17,000 Soviet military and

ordered a drastic pruning of

Moscow's diplomatic staff

☐ Haig tour ends: Mr Alex-

ander Haig, the American Secretary of State, ended his second Middle East tour in

less than a fortnight today

having failed to inject the

new momentum into the

deadlocked talks on Palestin-

ian autonomy for which he had hoped before he began

his personal involvement in

the process earlier this week

(Christopher Walker writes

inevitably accompanies such whirlwind diplomatic visits,

the enormous difficulties involved in reconciling the

two sides were clearly visible.

Mr Haig admitted today: "We have far more to do than we

have achieved so far", and yesterday he said in Israel: "There are still more dif-

ferences than there are

chosen after his two "fact-finding missions" to distance

troubled negotiations. He has made clear that he

does not expect to return to

the region in the near future,

Behind the rhetoric which

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from Cairo).

advisers

community budget which fall die next week. But they will do so reluctantly because the budget, as it stands, is £116.5m more than they believe it should be.

This is a small enough sum of money alongside the £12,500m of the total budget, which is why the member court for overstepping its states today agreed to pay up rather than provoke another is the current president of

institutional crisis within the Council, feels that this is legally impossible. Therefore see an essential point of principle at stake, the governments are planning to take the European Commission to the Europe

The problem is that the Euopean Parliament, which approved the 1982 budget last month. Polleterally and the same time legal proceedings against the Commission, which has agreed to execute the 1982 budget as agreed by Parliament. month, unilaterally extended ment, would be started.

Democrats seek end to Salvador arms aid

From Nicholas Hirst Washington, Jan 29

Congressional efforts to end or severely restrict American military aid to Ri-Salvador will be renewed next week.

President Reagan yesterday certified that the regime of President Duarte was making sufficient progress on politica and human rights for it to qualify for around \$55m of American military and economic assistance.

But opposition to an attempt by the Administration to increase military aid to the regime which is increasingly hard-pressed by left-wing guerrillas is expected to be The State Department is

The State Department indi-cated yesterday the United States must be prepared to increase its assistance to repair the damage done to aircraft by a guerrilla attack on the airport at Royango last Wednesday. However, democrat representatives Mr Tom Harkin

and Mr Gerry Studds have served notice they intend to introduce legislation next week to cut off all military aid to El Salvador.

And Senator Christopher Dodd, a Democratic member of the influential Senate Foreign Relations Com-mittee, said in a press release the President's certification raised the ghost of Vietnam. Senator Dodd was among a number of liberal senators instrumental in pushing for

regular certification that The Adminstration fought hard against having its ha hard against having its aands tied in such a way and in defeat last year is regarded as one of the only significant setbacks it has received from Congress on foreign policy.

Senator Dodd said yesterday: "Certification cannot substitute for the facts and in

the case of El Salvador the gap between the two is growing wider and deeper. H The Duarte regime is planning elections in March and has recently made renewed efforts to pursue investigations of the killing of four American church women. Government soldiers were arrested last April for the crime but action against

them soon came to a virtual standstill. ☐ The State Department confirmed reports last night that France had sold bazookas and rockets to Nicaragua despite French assurances that the deal involved only non-offensive supplies (AFP military reports).

The Washington Post in an article by its Paris correspondent disclosed earlier yesterday that French arms supplies to Nicaragua in-cluded Strim-89 type cluded Strim-89 type bazookas and their rockets.

M Charles Hernu, the French Defence Minister, has denied that offensive weamilitary equipment agreement, according to Le Monte

PARLIAMENT January 29 1982

Bill to beat the unfit meat trade

COMMONS

The very modest fines currently Mrs Peggy Fenner, Parliamentary Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture, Pisheries and Food, penny stamp on a £1,000 said the Government was able to support the Bill, and recognized the concerns that had led up to it. when moving the second reading of his Food and Drugs (Amendment) Bill, which would stiffen the penalties for dishonest food traders.

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He said he was revolted to learn that some 2 per cent of the beef trade was probably not even horsemeat, but unfit knacker meat or even kangaroo. Once knacker meat was ground up and flavourized it could be dog, cat, camel or kangaroo and it was very difficult to detect.

The Bill would amond and

agreements."

The most significant outcome of the latest round of talks is that Mr Haig has chosen after his two "fact-"

"The Bill would amend and strengthen the Food and Drugs Act 1955 by making meat racketeering a serious offence, to be tried on indictment as well as the strength and by increasing a serious offence, to be tried on indictment as well as the strength and by increasing the strength and t g missions" to distance if once again from the ed negotiations. has made clear that he not expect to return to gion in the near future, esponsibility for handhe talks will soon be tried on indictment as well as summarily and by increasing summarily and b

The Bill was a first attempt to bring the law on food and drugs and its enforcement into line with modern food technology. Up to now the penalties had been but unspecified progress over the past 48 hours, privately officials in both Israel and Egypt acknowledge that the problems of achieving even a paper agreement are now greater than ever.

While the Israelis had been anxious for an agreement on a broad "statement of prin-

mr reser mus (west Devon, U, a farmer and founder member of one of the largest meat plants in the country, the North Devon meat cooperative, said unfit meat should be stained with coloured dye so there could be no argument about it. The public had a right to be protected and know what they were eating and what was in their hamburgers.

the onscrupulous.

There was evidence from recent prosecutions not only of racketeering but of the sheer paucity of the penalties available

The Government had already recognized that fines under the Food and Drugs Act had become seriously outdated because of inflation. The maximum fine of £100 had not been raised since the Act came into force.

The Government had been conducting a detailed examination of the legislation to see whether the controls on the use of unfit meat and knacker meat eeded to be changed.

One of the most significant

changes the Government thought would be justified was for the introduction of a requirement to stain certain types of unfit and knacker meat. It had suggested that all carcass meat not passed for for human consumption at a fit, for human consumption at a slaughter house and all carcass meat from knackers' yards should be stained before leaving

should be stained before leaving the premises unless it had been sterilized.

This would not require unfit offal to be stained. No final conclusion had been reached on this matter. The Government did not wish to impose new requirements on the trade unless there ments on the trade unless there was a clear need. The available evidence suggested that the malpractices had essentially concerned the diversion of unfit carcass meat into the human consumption market.

The Government had been conducting trials to identify

conducting trials to identify types of stain which would be

suitable for the purpose it had in mind. It had also issued ideas for other changes to back up the basic requirements of staining and sterilization. Perhaps the most important of these was the proposal for all movements of unfit and knacker meat to be subject to prior authorization by the local authorities concerned and for movements to be notified subsequently to the local and

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One of the main difficulties had been that unfit mest often travelled considerable distances across many local authority boundaries and it had been difficult for them to keep track of the movements and desirance. of the movements and desi-nations of this material.

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The system the Government envisaged would give local authorites much greater knowledge of the detailed movement of unfit meat and would allow systematic controls to be envised where apropriate to check that it was reaching its sumed destinations.

The Government also had in

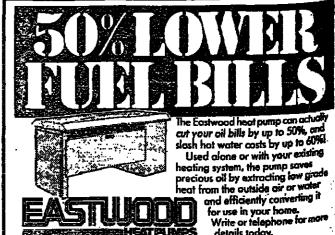
The Government also had in mind other amendments designed to ensure a more effective system of control, such as a requirement if all boxes holding unfit meat to be clearly marked as such and for more detailed records to be kept. Taken together, the changes it had in mind should do much to prevent malpractics.

The Bill was read a second

time.

The Government is to infroduce strict regulations to require warning labels on dangerous products, Mrs Sally Oppenheis, Minister of State for Consumers Affairs, said. The regulations would be extended to cover certain household products and covered by EEC directives.

She was speaking during a She was speaking during a second reading debate on the Dangerous Household Products (Child Safety) Packaging Bill, a private member's Bill, which was talked out.



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opening of parliament in Cape Town.
The President said that the United Nations lack of impar-tiality on Namibia diminished the possibility of holding free and fair elections in the

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phase of negotiations. The South African Government, Mr Marais said, did "not underestimate the formidable task ahead". The President did not say whether South Africa accepted all the constitutional principles proposed by the West for an independent Namible as the first part of the soulances along the soulances are soulances along the so the settlement plan.

The set of principles, which include a bill of rights as well as a procedure for electing electing a constituent assembly, were circulated to South Africa, SWAPO (the guerrilla organization fight-

to link the next stage of negotiations, made fully today is seen as indicating broad satisfaction with the

Namibia offer

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From Michael Hornsby, Cape Town, Jan 29 South Africa is ready to principles. Swapo and it's move to the second phase of allies have, however, obthe negotiations on an interjected to certain aspects of nationally acceptable settle- the proposals.

ment in Namibia (South-West The main objection con-Africa), Mr Marais Viljden, the South African State the seats in the Namibian President said today at an constituent assembly should be elected by proportional representation and half on the basis of single-member constituencies. This would be less favourable to Swapo than a wholly proportional

territory. An answer to this President Viljoen gave a problem, as well as to other warning to the Soviet Union warning issue", would have that Pretoria's military might to be found during the next was ready to match any threat in the region. He also said that "there is no doubt that the aggressive policies followed by the Soviet Union pose a threat of the gravest order".

Mr Viljoen attacked the Soviet Union for its role in Poland and Afghanistan, and said: "In Africa, too, the Soviet Union is stepping up its efforts to establish itself through surrogate forces.

South Africa has often expressed concern about the presence of Soviet advisers and Cuban troops in Angola. A year ago Mr P. W. Botha.

superrilla organization fighting for an independent Namibia) and the "front-line" he Prime Minister announced the capture of an alleged Russian spy inside the country. Last August, South African forces operating in southern Angola announced the capture of a soviet officer and the deaths of the capture of a soviet officer and the deaths. of two others.—Reuter.

Indonesia discounts Cambodian setback

From Devid Watts Jakarta, Jan 29

Khmer Rouge rejection of the latest proposals for a coalition of opposition groups is expected to be only a temporary setback in the search for a Cambodian settlement, the Indonesians told Lord Carrington, the Foreign Secretary, today on the first working day of his tour of the countries of the Association of South-East Asian Nations (Asean).

Dr Mochtar Kusumaat-madja, the Indonesian Foreign Minister, told Lord Carrington during two hours of "excellent" talks that the Khmer Rouge rejection of a loose coalinon proposed by Singapore, did not close that option though there was still a lot of work to be done in pursuit of the concept.

But though he assured Lord Carrington that Asean policy would not change there have been signals from Asean capitals in the last few days that suggest the policy is undergoing a thorough review.

The Indonesians, particularly, believe that there must now be a pause for reapprai-

Though much of the first morning of his visit to Indonesia was taken up with bilateral political relations the principal aim of Lord Carrington's tour, apart from expressing support for Asean is to build up trade and investment in the five coun-



Visa follows hunger strike

month-long hunger strike after he was allowed to visit her in Moscow were reunited today when in Guy Torrent flew in from Cameroon.

Mrs Inna Laurova said that she did not know how much time they would have together or if she would get an exit visa to live with Mr Torrent in France.

He and Mrs Lavrova met in He and Mrs Lavrova met in day.

1976 in Paris where her Mrs Lavrova, while trying husband was working at the to avoid the question, indi-

Mrs Lavrova went on a hunger strike during the Christmas holidays to dramatize her request for a reunion with Mr Torrent, aged 54, who had been refused a visa for the Soviet Union for years. Mrs Lavrova was taken to hospital on January 20 after losing almost 33lb and was discharged on Sun-

result of her hunger strike.

If this is so it would be the second time in two months that a hunger strike has been successful in obtaining visa. Last month, Mrs Liza Alexeyeva won the right to leave and join her husband in the United States Afer father-in-law, Andrei Sakha rov, the physicist and Nobel prizewinner, and his wife conducted a hunger strike on

Hungarians wary of praise from West

From Dessa Trevisan, Budapest, Jan 29 The cold winds blowing ern tactics were to drive a

across East-West relations as a result of the Polish crisis the Soviet Union. have made it difficult for

ing out too much from the other Soviet block coutries. So far Mr. Janos Kadar, the party leader, has managed successfully to keep a close relationship with Moscow and even to win recognition

from President Brezhnev for the Hungarian way of making socialism work, which has clearly helped to continue with economic reforms and maintain living stan-Recently, when Signor Berlinguer, the Communist Party

leader, singled out Hungary as a positive example in support of his argument that there are real and qualitative differences between indi-vidual Soviet block countries, the Hungarians lost no time in a comment in the party

newspaper, they distanced themselves from such tribute by saying that Hungary needed no praise that would confront it with other socialist countries.

A similar comment was made recently also in an interview with Mr Gyorgy Aczel, a Politburo member, Western attitudes about Western attitudes which, he said, approve of Hungarian economic reforms and liberal policies but also attempt to contrast it against the rest of the block.

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have made it difficult for the riungarians of the Hungary to pursue a distinct fact, that a small country internal policy without stick-such as theirs cannot play a significant role in world The Hungarians say, in significant role in work politics. But it clearly contra politics. But it clearly contra-dicts the standard picture of the socialist world, with its inventive policy, which has been pursued for the past 15 years or more.

Detente the argument goes, has done a great deal to loosen up East Europe, and the Hungarians see extreme dangers in the threat of sanctions extended to East Europe and in the attitude of President Reagan Poland.

a cold war language and that ecomomic sanctions would merely provide the hardliners in East Europe with support for their argument that economic cooperation with the West would make their countries more vulnerable to

Western pressure.
It is clearly with this in mind that the Hungarians have been reacting angrily to Western statements on Western Poland.

There is, on the whole, not much sympathy for the Poles among Hungarians. Hungary is a consumer society and, at a time when it is also feeling the effects of world reces sion, is being called upon to work harder to maintain

Hungarians realize they are better off than most of Hungary, he emphasized, the East European allies, and applied socialism to its own the average Hungarian has specific conditions and West-much to lose.

A paint to defeat radar trap

From Peter Hazelhurst

Tekyo, Jan 29 special metallic paint which has been developed in Japan to shield micro-ovens may be used to prevent radar beams from detecting the United States's new generation of Stealth bombers in

Officials in the American His was to balready asked the firm, the times. TDK electronics company, to provide American scientists with samples of the ferrite paint which absorbs microwaves and radar beams. "if these experiments are successful it is possible that American bombers will not be detected by radar stations in future". a spokesman for of you."

"while saying goodbye to our comrade," he said, "I would like to tell him, sleep peacefully our dear friend. You have lived through a big and glorious life. You have done much for the party and the people and they will preserve the bright memory of you." be detected by radar stations present in future", a spokesman for of you."

Flanked by other Politburo
Received

A spokesman for TDK, one of Japan's leading manufacturers of cassette recording the Lenin Mausoleum watched by thousands of paint was originally developed to contain electronic beams in micro-ovens.

"Eight years ago the Japan self-defence force recognized the military potential of the experiments and subidized a joint research programme" a TDK official said.

However Japanese officials point out that TDK might be barred from providing the United States's armed forces with the technology for the paint under the terms of lapan's post-war consti-

tution.

Defence scientists have been testing radar absorbent paints almost since the day after they perfected radar (our Defence Correspondent writes). The use of such materials, which absorb flecting them, is assumed to be among the principles involved in the American development of the Stealth

Brezhnev grieves for Suslov

Moscow, Jan 29—President Brezhnev appeared emotion-ally shaken and was visibly weakened tody as he saw the body of his closest Kremlin ally, Mr Mikhail Suslov, lowered into a grave in Red

Square next to Stalin.

Mr Brezhnev's speech
before the burial was slurred. His was shuffling and he had to be supported several "While saying goodbye t

tators. Mr Suslov, who died of a stroke on Monday, aged 79, is only the minth person to be buried in Red Square. Mr Brezhnev was flanked

by Mr Viktor Grishin, the Moscow Communist Party leader, and Mr Nikolai Tikhonov, the Prime Minister. The funeral procession from the Palace of Unions began just before noon. An

armoured personnel carrier pulled the caisson bearing the body..

The carriage was surrounded by goose-stepping
soldiers as it moved towards Red Square. Family members followed in the procession, and before Mr Suslov was

interred, bent over the open coffin to kiss his forehead. They were followed in the procession by members of the Communist Party central committee and generals of the Soviet Army, Carrying Mr Suslov's many medals and government awards—AP.

Nuclear waste

Russian proposes dumping in space

mounting anxiety among younger scientists over the unsafe methods used in the

radioactive waste from nu-clear plants and weapon His recent suggestion in a Pravda article that nuclear fission are highly radioactive waste should be packed into rockets and dumped in outer space has appealed to ecology-conscious Soviet_scientists, according to a Hunga-rian nuclear physicist just

Soviet Union for disposing of

returned from the Soviet Dr Kapitsa, aged 87, who spent 13 years at the Cavendish Laboratory, is said to have been the brains behind the development of the fuel that put Russia's first Sputnik into orbit and to have rumoured to have taken played a key role in developing Russia's nuclear wea-

His identification with the ecologists on the issue of disposal of radioactive waste has lent some respectability between Chelyabinsk and

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ways of disposal of nuclear Russia are encased in bitucal Problems in Moscow and at the Dubna Nuclear Research Institute, according to

the Hungarian scientist the grou Dr Kapitsa broacked this scientists

delicate subject within the method unsafe.

Dr Pyotr Kapitsa, the wider framework of the Cambridge-trained doyen of world energy crisis under the Soviet nuclear physicists, has innocuous heading "Follow-brought into the open the ing the Laws of Physics".

While insisting that nuclear power offered the only long-term solution to the energy crisis, he pointed out there were unresolved

The fact of the matter is that wastes from uranium nssion are nighty radioactive and their effective disposal poses great technical problems", he wrote. "Perhaps the best thing would be to dispatch them by rocket into space, but as yet this is not being considered sufficiently reliable."

The problems posed by the

The problems posed by the accumulation of radioactive waste have not been publicized in the Soviet Union. One reason is that a number of grave accidents have been place. Dr Zhores Medvedev. the exiled Russian biochemist, claims that an explosion of nuclear wastes in the Urals in 1958 led to the contamination of vast areas

waste is particularly notice men or glass and then stored able at the Academy of in underground chambers. Sciences' Institute of Physi- Eut liquid wastes from But liquid wastes from Soviet nuclear power stations are deposited in deep, water bearing seams isolated from the ground water. Some consider

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In many overseas markets public and private

way or an airport, it could easily mean financial hardship for several companies along the line. Including some of our exporters.

where no-one can take payment for granted. Today, the Export Credits Guarantee Department is paying out more and more on bad debts, not only from politically shaky countries, but from traditionally stable

ones as well Recently a British engineering firm supplied construction equipment to a customer in the Middle East. own suppliers when payment fell due.

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covers you for non-payment on exports of goods or services, worldwide - no matter whether it's the customer or the country that fails.

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capital expenditure is being cut back. And where the axe falls on a project such as a high-

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the orders for the plant he had received were suddenly cancelled. This meant that he in turn had to let down his

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safe it may seem, you should at least find out what ECGD

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publication of a paper that prints not on the goods train as he should "lies", and that the laws governing have been. distortion in the media ought to be And within days of The Sun's changed. At face value, he is "dossier" four Southern Region.

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To make a proper analysis of all

Tony Benn says that the King's plinary hearing for having falsified Cross drivers and guards were his worksheets. It was already justified in "blacking" The Sun known that, at the time of the and The Times, that journalists South London derailment a fortprinters ought to prevent night ago, an assistant driver was

giving his full support to wildcat railwaymen — unconnected with strikes aimed at press and broad- the newspaper's informants — casting — though he himself says were found guilty of fraud. It is, that that is not what he means. perhaps unfortunate for Mr Benn He explains, as he did at the that the Crown Court judge Farringdon NUJ meeting this week, hearing their cases had cause to that he simply wishes to defend speak of "systematic malpractice"



Mr-Benn accuses "the press" of unfairness to the railwaymen; he backed the railwaymen who blacked The Times as well as The Sun. The Times invited Alastair Hetherington, former editor of The Guardian, to discuss the evidence and the issues

the Press, reporting in 1977, provided statistics to show that at every general election from 1945 to October 1974 the aggregate sales of servatives were proportionately well above the Conservative vote and that even standard Labour views were, numerically speaking, not well represented. That does not imply unfairness in the treatment of the election by the "heavies", but it does indicate the leaning of Fleet Street towards the

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The third Royal Commission on workers' cooperative, has been a been to those be Press, reporting in 1977, bitter disappointment to those royaled statistics to show that at involved. But that experience, very general election from 1945 to while a warning of the difficulties, does not invalidate the idea. The newspapers supporting the Con- Basnett-Goodman version came, of course, too near the end of the last Labour Government's life to have much immediate chance; and it has little or none under the present

Nevertheless it ought not to be forgotten. With the new technology now available — more who advanced even than when the McGregor Royal Commission was hearing evidence — the prospects for fresh newspapers are better, always provided that the printing unions will permit economic use of the new machinery.

Another matter on which Tony Benn, in principle, has a good case is the right of reply. But to think of trying to enforce it through the courts is lunacy, especially after the experience of clumsy legal intervention in industrial disputes. In these as in other matters, Tony Benn's position would be empr-Benn's position would be enormously stronger if he did not appear to condone random disruption of our newspapers and their distribution. Much more effective, if you believe that particular names are hoing unfair in the papers are being unfair, is to persuade people to buy another

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Hewson explains why he took the day off yesterday to marry Helen Tork, secretary to the Arts Editor

Marriage is a union. Nalgo, to be precise. I discovered that the day I telephoned Finsbury Town Hall and uttered the fateful words. "I'd like to know about setting married on a Some getting married on a Satur

"Not as far as I can see, dear. You'd better ring Mr

but his assistant was. "I have to tell you that we are in official dispute with Islington Council vis a vis the iniquitous situation our members find themselves in with regard to pay and con-ditions," I was brusquely

married." I said in a plainive voice. "On a Saturday." "Oh, then I can be specific. Impossible. We've banned

We'll, not quite everywhere. There is probably a viciousenemy-of-the-working-class registrar somewhere fur-tively sneaking in the odd couple before World of Sport, and good luck to him. Perhaps he has never seen a flying picket. I have and I do not think it would get along with the relatives.

Of course, there are greater inconveniences facing us pute

has the power to move an audience. Several of the technicians told me of the tears in their eyes when he played a scene with Gemma Craven in which Wagner kneels and begs her forgive-

lunch the next day, he speculated on the reasons for having chosen so many poor films in the past: "I'm an easy touch. Producers come to me with tears in their eyes and say 'If only you make this one, it will save me from bankruptcy' or some other hard luck yarn, so I agree and then I'm stuck with it". His 14 years in Hollywood

and a contract with 20th Century Fox were the worst, he insisted. "I had no choice of films except the choice o refusing. There were two real stinkers in a row that I remember particularly, The Bramble Bush and Ice Palace. Larry Olivier was doing Spartacus in much the same spirit at the same time and we sat there wondering what on earth we were doing.

"One night he said there was only one thing that could save us, we had to go and find some babies — to reassure ourselves that there was some kind of future, I suppose. So there we were, in the middle of the night, driving round Beverly Hills looking for a baby. Com-pletely drunk, of course. We knocked at doors of houses where we saw a light and in one of them — a complete stranger's — they produced a

"To this day, I don't know who it was. I think we both wept a little. Our fans of the agnostic has to face the fact future, we must have said. And then we went back

It may be that, at 57. Richard Burton is at last coming into his own. Next year, he is determined to fulfil his 20-year dream of playing Lear on the stage, and has a production set up; his great regret is that he is old for Richard II. But age is bringing compensations and new dreams.

"A lot of my friends and some of my children and fellow actors say to me that I have squandered what talent that I may have. But maybe I'm a nance late-comer, maybe I'll come ne to into my own when I'm about 60. In almost every artistic career there's an enormous burst of late energy.

"Even in Shakespeare the early plays are relatively about him to persuade all indifferent, the middle come-those people to give him dies begin to show his genius and then there's that tremen ladies. But he was little, he was portly, not a very good-looking man. The essential difference is that he was a it seems to me."

Whatever genius is, Burton © Times Newspapers Limited, 1982

Saturday

day."
There was a familiar sound on the other end of the line,

a sucking in of air through clenched teeth which miniby belongs to the garage mechanic looking at a spluttering engine. Finally a female voice spoke: "Sorry, the office are the succession, the whole are the succession. not answering the phone" "But you have answered the phone," I protested. "Well I would. I'm the telephonist, aren't I? It's the registrars, they're not answering their phones."
"Not ever?"

Brown.' Mr Brown was not there-

told.
"All I want to do is get

Saturday marriages."
"Everywhere?"
"Everywhere."

that Saturday weddings outside of a church are a thing of the past, and have been since Nalgo started its han last May.

through industrial disput this winter, as anyone who has tried to catch a train will know. But that should not lessen our attention to the core of the registrars' dis-

The Nalgo case is plain. Since 1975 the union has been trying to renegotiate the grades of its registrar members. The people concerned do not seem to earn a lot; the basic rate for a deputy registrar is £5,084, a registrar £5,652, and a super-intendent £6,501. Few actually receive these amounts, of course, what with service increments and other additions, but no one would regard the profession as highly paid.

When Nalgo failed to reasonable pay increase, it started an overtime ban and started an overtime ban and stopped working on Saturdays. Last September, it stepped up this action to refusing to answer the relephone, insisting on using the full rules for every action refusing to help members of the public who are searching for information, and banning for information, and barning most statistics sent to centra

Government.

That is the state of play today, coupled with a few local variations such as registrars who turn up for weddings in jeans.

For many of the register office staff, Saturday work is a part of their contract, not a matter for overtime, while the other duties were previously accepted as normal daily routine. What, in effect, they have managed to do, is

to work less for the same money.

It all sounds a familiar public sector story. The one light on the horizon came from Cambridge-hirs County from Cambridgeshire County Council this week when it decided to cut by 5 per cent the pay of register-office workers who have banned Saturday weddings.

The council said: "It is

intended to be a reflection of the loss of service to the public rather than a punitive The key phrase in all this is "service to the public". If

register-office workers feel they are underpaid the remedy is in their own hands. They can accept what they have, or they can go on strike to force a settlement.

David Hewson

Burton: this could be the role I've been waiting for

By Elkan Allan

critical success, the first three weeks' rushes directed actors except in the have convinced the producers. briefest sequences. His that they should screen it method of doing so bewilfirst in the cinema as a six-dered Burton on the first hour epic in two parts, so powerful is his performance

and so illustrious the cast.

This week, the noblest trio of the English acting profession — Olivier, Gielgud and Richardson — have been playing together for the first the novice director who has the cameraman to roam around, holding the camera around, holding the camera around, holding the cameraman to roam around, holding the cameraman to roam around, holding the cameraman to roam around, holding the camera around, around the camera around the camera around the camera around the camera around the cam time, as members of the been preparing Wagner for German cabinet that hounded six years. "He knows what the composer; Vanessa Redhe wants and is consistently grave plays Wagner's second wife, Gemma Craven his first. With 42 documentaries and

he realized his potential "every frame a Rembrandt" power; seven times an Oscar is not without apmess. nominee but never a winner, he has dashed expectations so often that even his warmest admirers have des-paired. If the fault lies with his directors — and he himself counts only six of the 70-odd he has worked under as sympathetic — it is daring of him to entrust this most crucial performance to a tyro among dramatic direc-

If ever a star needed a Although Palmer has won critical success, Richard laurels, including two suc-Burton does with the film of cessive Prix Italias, for his Richard Wagner which he evocative documentaries has just started shooting in about composers (Britten, Vienna. Planned originally as Walton and, coming up, an eight-part television serial, Stravinsky), he has never

days of shooting. "He told the cameraman to roam

Others in the film, to be seven shorter films commade also in Bavaria, Hunpleted in the last eight years, gary, Switzerland and Palmer is used to working gary, Switzerland and Palmer is used to working Venice, include Franco Nero, fast, and the main problem Pickup, Richard with the shooting is the Joan Greenwood; paradoxical one that they are Joan Greenwood; paradoxical one that they are Cruickshank, Liza so far ahead of schedule that Goddard, Arthur Lowe, Pru- actors and crew are left mella Scales, Joan Plowright, hanging around waiting for Christopher Gable, Cyril the locations booked well Cusack, Dapime Wagner — a ahead. "I'm not used to being descendant of Richard — and called at seven in the morna possible acting debut by ing and starting a scene at Placido Domingo.

But it is on Richard Burton "When I was in Cleopatra that the £6m epic depends.

Rarely off the screen, the and I got on the set in undeniably great but often April."

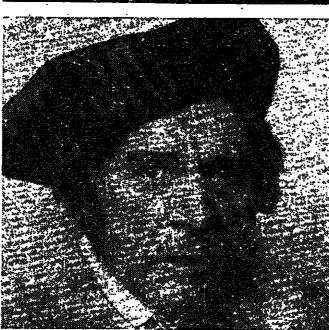
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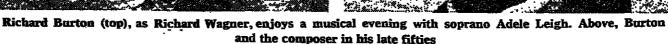
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Coppola. I saw some of the tious flops. Coppola. I saw some of the Not since Who's Afraid of rushes and can confirm that Virginia Woolf? in 1966 has on this occasion the old boast

> Burton's latest biographer quotes several directors as finding him uninterested and unapproachable. While claiming to have read neither Paul Ferris's book nor any of the previous studies of him books about me. I tried to read one of them once because an in-law of my family was yerr waster to a greater degree than any of the other players. "They all a bit, but Richard gets every word sieke." because an in-law of my every word right," says family was very upset about Palmer.







something. I fell asleep with boredom"), he admits that he does tend to walk through a part once he has discovered he has made a mistake in choosing the role.

That is far from the case in this marathon role. Palmer finds him anxious to be involved, first on the set, word-perfect and respectful of Charles Wood's script to a

is the degree of involvement Burton feels with Wagner. "He did an immense amount of preparation. As soon as he agreed to do the part, he called for as many of the 22,000 books on Wagner as I could supply; all his music on records, drawings of the composer; anything I could find. Burton undergoes a physical transformation on uncannily like him.

"There is a strong parallel "There is a strong parallel audience. But it's certainly between the two men. Just as true that publicity obscured

One reason, Palmer thinks, Burton's escapades with Eliza-the degree of involvement beth Taylor have obscured money and the main chance surton feels with Wagner. his immense talent, so Wagner sucked them in from time to was more famous in his lifetime for his liaisons with women than for his music. "Both are Celtic: Wagner

was Saxonian and spoke with what we might translate as a broad Geordie accent. For a time we toyed with giving him a Welsh accent in the film, but Burton says he has set and ends up looking forgotten his — and, anyway, it would have confused the

time, but that both retained immense strength." Burton denies any identifi-ation. "He must have had

extraordinary

Why Mrs Thatcher let the Cabinet have its Budget say

The most curious feature of this week's Cabinet meeting on the broad strategy of the Budget is that it was held at all. It was not unique: the all. It was not unique: the Callaghan Cabinet had a day's session at Chequers before the preparation of Mr Healey's last Budget. But such discussions are most unusual. The custom has been, whatever the party complexion of the govern-ment, to allow the Chancellor to get on with the job and present his secrets to the Cabinet only a matter of hours before he introduces his Budget in the Commons. Indeed, Professor David Marquand records in his biography of Ramsay MacDonald that when MacDonald asked his Chancellor, Philip Snowden, in 1930 to give the Cabinet a little more notice than usual of his proposals, Snowden replied imperiously: "Past experience has shown that a Even so, such a discussion premature Cabinet disclosure gives the rest of the Cabinet is as good as a full page page advertisement in the Daily

The article on this page yesterday about Italian terrorism was written by The Times Rome Correspondent,

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gues in trying to smoke out the Chancellor. But as a general rule prime ministers find it to their own advantage to preserve the Chancellor's prerogative of secrecy. Cer-tainly Mrs Thatcher would never have held Thursday's discussion if it had not been necessary to satisfy her colleagues: last year she rejected a request from Mr Prior for a similar meeting.

Mr Callaghan too was

Mr Callaghan too was acting in response to feeling in his Cabinet; and both then and this week the occasion simply provided an opportunity for other ministers to tell the Chancellor what they thought should be in his Budget. There was no ques-tion of taking collective decisions on the strategy.

a chance to bring pressure to bear upon the Chancellor. It cannot suit a Prime Minister so well as the traditional practice whereby the Chan-cellor prepares the Budget on the basis of a dialogue with the Prime Minister, as well as with his senior civil servants and a few ministerial col- selves to be agents of the

elaborate system of Cabinet conduct of government business, under the chairmanship of ministers who had become the Prime Minister's agents, was one of the principal reasons why Richard Crossman declared in his celebrated introduction to the Fontana edition of Bagehor's The English Con-Bagehot's *The English Con-*stitution: "The postwar epoch has seen the final transformation of Cabinet Government into Prime Ministerial Government".
Why then have two such

very different Prime Ministers found it advisable to make the same concession to Cabinet government within the space of a few years? The answer is that this is one among a number of pieces of evidence to suggest that the time has come to reassess the Crossman doctrine. "In so far as ministers feel themGeoffrey Smith

leagues in economic posts. Premier", Crossman wrote, The more decisions are taken into by the full Cabinet but by small groups of ministers in discussion with the Prime discussion with the Prime Minister, the more is the has become if one examines Prime Minister's power enhanced.

The extension of an elaborate system of Cabinet conduct of government busices.

Premier", Crossman wrote, Cabinet or in a position of white House knows that he would not be there but for Mr Reagan's electoral popularity. They are all agents of the President in Crossman's sense. But ministers in Mrs Thatcher's Cabinet may well believe that the Conservatives would have won better in

Minister today: she ran an independent political from the Department of standing. Mr Haig may dream of becoming President, but that is not a vision widely win, even though Mr Heath was less popular than Mr Congressman before Mr Wilson; and they lost in 1945 desoite being led by Churchill, who began the election campaign at the height of his campaign at the height of his had been unable to get on the

them are not really kindred political spirits. Indeed, early in her administration one minister remarked "there is a magic circle in this Government of which Margaret Thatcher is not a member". She has felt it necessary to include in her Cabinet men of political experience and

office she has sought to compensate for the uncertain

campaign at the height of this fame.

It is different in the United States. Even though the Republicans are the minority party, a Republican has been in the White House for 17 of the past 29 years. Everyone who serves in Mr Reagan's a Cabinet most of whose compensate for the uncertain balance in the Cabinet as a counts in the United States is whole by putting reliable to get on the balance in the Cabinet as a counts in the United States is whole by putting reliable to get on the balance in the Cabinet as a counts in the United States is whole by putting reliable to get on the balance in the Cabinet as a counts in the United States is whole by putting reliable to get on the balance in the Cabinet as a counts in the United States is whole by putting reliable to get on the balance in the Cabinet as a counts in the United States is whole by putting reliable to the key dent, politically and personable.

By contrast, Mrs Thatcher that were not really to the whose taste of the majority — last

members do not share her year's Budget being a con-political philosophy, or who spicuous example. But in a at least fail to share her number of other areas her ardour of belief. Most of original intentions have not been implemented.

Sometimes this has been because she has been persuaded to change her mind, as over Rhodesia-Zimbabwe. Sometimes it has been because she has been successfully resisted by a departmental minister, as with Mr Prior's objections to more radical changes in trade union legislation — though even now that she has Mr Tebbit the reforms will be less than drastic. Sometimes, as in the protracted debates over public expenditure which have been such a feature of this adminis-

> A modern Prime Minister has a more secure hold upon office between elections than much popular discussion implies: the days have passed when a quiet word from a few senior colleagues could be enough to topple an incumbent. But a Prime Minister's capacity to secure the action that she (or he) wants depends more upon personal authority and less upon the weight of the office

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PAWNS OR PIECES?

The harshness of Pravda's recent attack on the Italian Communist Party shows how the Russians were touched on the raw by the strictures they have received from Italy. Relations between the Soviet and Italian parties have been strained for many years, with the Italians insisting that each party should be free to follow its own course, without necessarily taking the Soviet Union as a model. But this line of thinking was taken a significant stage further in the recent statements on Poland, adopted on the recommendation of Signor Berlinguer, the party leader. The Italians not only condemned the Russians for their part in the military clamp-down, but went on to reject the Soviet model altogether, saying that it was mistaken and that democracy was necessary for socialism.

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In reply, Pravda pulled out all the stops, drawing on the sort of language it used in the past against such heresies as Titoism and Maoism. The Italian party, it said, had adopted positions which helped the cause of anticommunism; and it was "sacrilegious" to suggest that there was no difference between the foreign policy of the Soviet Union and that of the United

Much of the violence of this attack must derive from the embarrassment the Russians feel over events in Poland. The Italian communists were strong supporters of the trend towards pluralism there. They felt a particular affinity for Solidarity, which they saw as a returned to the Moscow fold felt a particular affinity for mass movement acting in and

patriation of the Canadian

constitution more than a year

ago. The peremptory and somewhat offensive tone of his

initial demand, in which he

made clear his belief that

Westminster had no option but

to hold its nose and rubber-

stamp Ottawa's request, was

succeeded by a more concili-

atory, and more realistic,

approach. That was primarily because of internal political

pressures, but he came to

realize too that the British

Parliament's approval was by

no means the foregone con-

clusion he believed consti-

only two of the ten provinces

supporting the federal govern-

ments request. The Canadian

Supreme Court decided that Ottawa was legally entitled to

come to Westminster without

the consent of the provinces.

but that their agreement should be obtained as a re-

quirement of constitutional convention. The Court did not

say how many provinces would

need to consent, but the

judgments did not suggest that

there had to be unanimity.

After further negotiational

compromise Mr Trudeau has

now made his formal request

to Parliament, by way of the

Canada Bill, and he has come

with the backing of nine of the

ten provinces. The tenth,

Quebec, is suggesting that its

When the parliamentary insti-

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rates they determined for themselves. That is the reason

clergymen of the Church of

England may not sit in the

House of Commons. Since the

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The first to be invented was

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tutions of England were being from the House of Commons

the realm. They met in the convocations of Canterbury and York where they legislated for the church and the 1963 Peerages Act, under

Convocations ceased to vote their own subsides to the king and came under the general about the middle of the seventeenth century, that is not a very cogent reason for not a very cogent reason for continuing the exclusion. But

radical clergyman Horne cal role is unbecoming to the Tooke. Having failed to be elected a couple of times for reason for exclusion when it

other constituencies he was has all along been open to a

returned by the three electors clergyman to take his seat in

of the notorious borough of the House of Lords provided

Old Sarum. There followed only that he had succeeded to the House of Commons a peerage or had a life

(Clergy Disqualification) Act, peerage thrust upon him. And

1801, which dealt with the then there are the Lords

problem in the broadest way spiritual. Their presence in and is still in force. The the House of Lords is the

Mr Trudeau had, at first,

tutionally it should be.

alliance with the institutions of clampdown in Poland. But they not to interfere.

The main significance for the West, however, is that the exchanges between the Russians and the Italians mark a further weakening — if not quite a rupture — of the ties linking Moscow to one of the principal communist parties in western Europe. Until now, the existence of large communist parties, mainly in the southern countries, has often stood in the way of political change, because there was a natural fear of giving any share of power to parties which were totalitarian in nature and tied to Moscow. This has been true in Italy since the Second World War, where it has enabled the Christian Democrats to stay in

The aim of Signor Berlinguer, and of other leaders of the Eurocommunist movement, has been to persuade public opinion that their parties accepted western democratic values and was no longer tied to Moscow. That has also been the line taken by Senor Carrillo, the leader of the Spanish Communist Party. The Spanish communists have been equally critical of Soviet behaviour in Poland, and of the failure which it revealed of the the French communists, who had a brief flirtation with have backed

ALL CLEAR FOR PATRIATION

the Bill.

Westminster to refuse to pass

It is regrettable that the unreconciled province should

be such a significant one, a

founding nation, encompass-

ing a quarter of Canada's population. It would be greatly

beneficial to Canada as a whole

if the differences between

Quebec and the Federal

government could be composed. But that is a

Canadian problem, not Westminister's. So far as

Parliament is concerned, the

Supreme Court's criteria have

London with the consent of the

provinces, if not their unani-

isolation should be no obstacle

to the passing of the Canada

Indian peoples of Canada affect Parliament's consti-

tutional duty to pass the Bill.

The Indians, as well as the

Metis (half-breeds) and the

Imuits (Eskimos) are in many

ways Canada's second class

citizens. The federal government, not least in the

person of Mr Trudeau himself.

is aware of its failure towards

the native peoples. Some of the

provincial governments, in contrast, see Indian rights as

an obstacle to the full exercise

The Canadian Charter of

of provincial autonomy.

HONOURABLE AND REVEREND MEMBERS

is an object at all time

deserving of respect. But the

which the member for Bristol

South-East disclaimed his

peerage, the House may be said to have rushed to

have gone almost as com-

pletely as the days when the

The assertion that a politi-

clergy arranged their own

Parliament also had a wider

embrace its fate.

Nor should the plight of the

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Catholicism — something that they themselves would like to be — and they had given frequent warnings to Moscow government, have little influence on policy.

> The attacks from Moscow. therefore, can do Signor Berlinguer nothing but good.
> And they have come at the right time. The Christian Democrats are visibly faltering after their long years of power and Signor Craxi, the energetic leader of the Socialist Party, is anxious to present himself as an alternative. By proposing a "third way", somewhere between Soviet-style communism and social democracy, Signor Berlinguer is serving notice that he, too. claims to be an acceptable alternative on the left.

In recent years the Italian party has in fact seemed more anxious to be part of the establishment than to carry out any very revolutionary aims. It denounces the Red Brigades, most recently for kidnapping General Dozier. It supports Italian membership of Nato and the European Community. Its domestic policies have become more moderate. All the same, it opposes the stationing of new Nato missiles in Europe. It has still not broken completely with Moscow, and many of its members would not want it to do so. There are bound to Soviet model, but have not remain misgivings about any been attacked in the same communist party coming to been attacked in the same communist party coming to terms as Italians. By contrast power in Europe, even a reformist one, until there can be assurance that elements within it sympathetic to Moscow will not resume

rights are have not been

defined. They will be the subject of talks between the

Indians and the government.

asking the English courts to

declare that constitutional responsibility for them con-

tinued to lie with the Crown in the United Kingdom, and had

not been transferred to the

Canadian government when

that country became, for all

practical purposes, independent. The Court of

Appeal has now rejected that

Indian peoples should not be

allowed to obscure the legal

effect of that judgment, which

is (subject to further appeal)

Parliament has now no legal or

constitutional or political option but to pass the Canada

Bill and send the constitution

offered for excluding the lower clergy from the Com-

mons. It too is a bad reason.

Members of Parliament are

elected to represent their constituents first and fore-

most: their vocation, trade union or interest only inci-

dentally — that is the theory anyway. If the electors of a constituency wish to be rep-

resented in the Commons by a

clerk in holy orders, a bench

of bishops in the Lords does

not make a reason for telling

kind, also fall under the

disability. What used to be called non-conformists

escape, though if the church-

es' covenanting scheme goes

through it is thought that the

ministers of all the subscrib-

ing churches will be in holy

1801 Act. A motion before

next month's General Synod

of the Church of England

introduce legislation to sweep

tangle of principles and preju-

them they may not be.

where it belongs.

exclusion of radical agitators only contemporary reason

Ultimately, any dispute would

A great deal has happened lone opposition should never- Rights and Freedoms, which is since Mr Trudeau first sought theless be sufficient cause for part of the constitutional package which the Canadian government has asked Westminster to pass, provides by Article 35 that "the existing aboriginal and treaty rights of the aboriginal peoples of Canada are hereby recognized and affirmed". What those

Surely it is time that this problem was faced squarely?

A distinguished Euro MP recently told me that the decline of the fishing fleet and the large

Yours faithfully,

S. W. ROSKILL, Churchill College, Cambridge.

RN (retd) Sir, I much enjoyed your second

reminded me of a forebear. Statisticians may be relieved that the occasion of assaults on teachers has declined since early in the last century. Augustus Short, later first Bishop of

of 6th (the only part he enjoyed then was being breakfast fag to (the future) Archbishop Longley.

He was encouraged to fight from the beginning, a habit he put to use later as a bishop in the Outback.

In his biography it is recorded that when asked about his combative spirit he replied: Fighting, of course I am fond of fighting. Why, when I was a boy at Westminster, the boys fought one another, they fought the masters, the masters fought them, they fought outsiders, in fact we were ready to fight everybody in those days for the whole nation spoke of nothing but fighting.

D. C. R. WALTERS, The Old Primary, Sutton, Woodbridge, Suffolk.

Unjust desert

From Mr D. Holbrook Sir, I was as startled as no doubt some of your readers were to learn from an article by Miss Caroline Moorehead (January 26) on the aminversary of a radio programme, that another individ-ual "and David Holbrook both chose pornography for their books" to be abandoned with, on

of the unconscious hatred of women, visual rape, in an enforced exile. This, I am sure you will agree, is all most unfortunate when offered with all the authority of The Times, about someone in

education. Yours &c. entries in the Index Medicus in 1977 and 13 in 1978 (though none at all in the following year). Dr D. Phil has two brothers, and they all modestly refrain DAVID HOLBROOK.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

in British defence

From Captain S. W. Roskill, FBA,

Sir, The shocking figures recording the decline of our once flourishing fishing fleet, recently publicized in your columns, leave unanswered one important, even vital aspect of this state of affairs: namely the effect on the maritime defence of these is-

In both world wars of this century all the best British-owned trawlers and drifters were requisitioned by the Admiralty shortly before the outbreak of hostilities. The trawlers were mostly fitted with Asdics for antisubmarine convoy work and the drifters with mine-sweeping gear; and both types were given rudimentary anti-aircraft arma-

Their splendid crews (helped by an infiltration of naval reservists) continued to man their vessels and carried out quite indispensable work as convoy escorts and in keeping our coastal waters clear of mines. Their tasks were always hazardous in the extreme, as the loss of 250 trawlers and 107 drifters between 1939 and 1945 clearly demonstrates. In truth the people of this country benefited enormously from the availability of these privately owned chips a these privately owned ships, a fact which appears today to be

totally ignored.

I am well aware that Mr Nott has been argued into acceptance of the age-old fallacy that the of the age-on range in the strategy of ocean convoy is no longer applicable; but have he or his advisers found any method of protecting shipping in coastal waters except by convoying it from port to port? And how can those waters be kept clear of mines when only a paltry number of naval vessels and few if any auxiliaries will be available?

auxiliaries will be available? The other aspect of maritime defence inherent in the decline of the fishing fleet is the loss to the nation of the hardy breed of fishermen. Again and again in our history have warnings been given in Parliament and else-where of the consequences. In 1774 Sir Charles Saunders told the House of Commons: "Give up the fishery and you lose your breed of seamen"; Kipling paid his tribute to such men in his well-known poem "Mine-sweepers, 1914-1918"; and R. H. Thornton, in his book British Shipping (1959), states that "It is

in the trawlers and drifters and the family-owned fishing craft-...that one must look for the men with the sea in their blood".

be for the Canadian courts to imports of fish from other EEC sort out. This arrangement is being treated with suspicion by some of the Indian groups, one of which has gone as far as that the causes are not more ler and brakes and the observ-

Punishing teachers

From Captain D. C. R. Walters

claim. The sympathy that can justifiably be felt for the leader on Saturday, January 23, re assaults on teachers, which

that the Indians, like Quebec, are Canada's responsibility. The United Kingdom Adelaide, was sent to West-minster School on 1809 at the age

> In his biography it is recorded whole nation spoke of nothing

Yours faithfully,

Proper names desert island. I have never appeared on From Dr A. I. Spriggs Desert Island Discs. No doubt the Sir, A certain Dr Cantab, probfalse attribution resulted from ably a relation of the Mr MaCantab referred to in Mr Oliver's letter (January 25), was given credit in a recent medical carelessness, but I should like to protest as pornography is to me as distasteful as anti-semitism, and the reference could give the impression that I would be prepared to enjoy in private an activity against which I have discriminated against in public: this strange scientific fraternity and that, although I am a lover of literature, I should be prepared medical sphere. to prefer contemplating images

R. C. P. Edin, who collaborated with six colleagues in a study of splenic erythropoiesis, and published in the Acta Medica Scandinavica in 1978. Dr Edin publishes very rarely, but this cannot be said of the polymath Dr D. Phil, who was responsible for eight

Trawler fleet's role Proposed curbs on union powers

From Mr Giles Radice, MP for Strike and tempt managers to resort to injunctions instead of Sir, When last November, Nor-

man Tebbit announced the Government's plans for further industrial relations legislation he argued that the time was right and the need clear. But there is no obvious industrial reason why there should be a second round

of legislation.
The Prior Employment Act,
which curbed closed shops and restricted picketing and second-ary action, has only been in operation for 18 months, so the Tories can scarcely claim that there has been sufficient time to there has been sufficient time to prove the necessity for even harsher measures. Indeed the substantial drop in the number of working days lost in disputes, for which Mr Tebbit is quick to claim the credit, undermines his own case. Many of us suspect that the Govenment is motivated more by predjudice and political opportunism than by a genuine desire to improve industrial relations, a suspicion which is only strengsuspicion which is only streng-thened by an examination of the Tebbit Bill.

Despite the reservations expressed in the Government's own Green Paper, the Bill withdraws trade unions' immunity from actions in tort which was introduced in 1906 to enable trade unions to cary out their legiti-mate functions. The danger is that the withdrawal of trade union immunity, the attempt to make trade unions vicariously liable for actions carried out by officials, and the high level of damages could not only lead, as the Green Paper warned, to the further weakening of the auth-ority of trade union leaders but, even more serious, to a deterio-ration in the overall climate of industrial relations and respect for the law.

The various restrictions of the definition of a trade dispute contained in the Bill will both unacceptably restrict the right to

involvement of the judiciary could lead to the very result the legislation seeks to avoid. In spite of the warnings of the Engineering Employers' Federation and the Employment Select Committee, the Government seeks to impose balloting on existing closed shops, a move which could undermine industrial relations and stimulate inter-union strife, And because the legal remedies are so much more beneficial for those who are dismissed in closed shops, the law is now biased

One of the most extraordinary proposals of the Bill (about which there has been no consultation) is to give the Secretary of State new discretionary powers to compensate retrospectively out of public funds certain categories of persons dismissed between 1974

shop agreement.
Nobody can be certain that, if they get the chance, the Tories will not take a third "bite of the cherry" and introduce yet another Bill. The tragedy is that the Government should be wasting the mation's time in implement and nation's time in irrelevant and divisive anti-union legislation when we ought instead to be improving industrial relations by introducing a significant degree of industrial democracy. Yours sincerely,

GILES RADICE,

sorting out their industrial relations problems directly. I am also concerned that the Government's intention to outlaw strikes of a political nature will put judges in the invidious position of strikes of a political nature will purjudges in the invidious position of deciding what is and is not a political strike. Unlike in France and Italy, there have been very few such strikes in this country; the

against helping the vast majority of unfairly dismissed employees who are the victims of employer

and 1980 as a result of a closed

House of Commons.

A train driver's skills

From Mr R. D. Kimberlev Sir, At a time when Aslef train drivers are flexing their muscles,

it is opportune to consider their rewards in relation to their skills and responsibilities, compared with those demanded of other public and private transport drivers.

That a train driver must be skilled in the handling of his train, be very conversant with procedures and his road, is not to be denied, but he does not carry the same degree of physical and mental effort and responsibility as does the bus or lorry driver or even those of the private road user. He is trained to drive on

specific routes.

The physical and mental exercise required of a skilled train driver is today restricted to the ance of signals and instruments.
Compare these efforts and responsibilities with those of the road vehicle driver who has to control steering, gear changes, braking, observation of signals and instruments, judgment of widths, heights and road surface conditions, evasion of erratic pedestrians' and other road

users' behaviour. In addition, he

may be called upon to conduct his vehicle on roads which he has never before travelled, selecting strange routes through unknown conditions. All of these in every type of weather conditions which tax his physical and mental skill in handling his vehicle.

Nobody will deny that a train

driver should enjoy an income and working conditions commensurate with the efforts and skill required, but one must wonder if he is so privileged as to cause national chaos to satisfy his aspirations for recognition of skills which are not nearly as arduous as those required of the millions of other drivers of public and private transport, simply because he is a specialist in an because he is a specialist occupation of his choosing, for spent years being which he spent years being trained and wherein his abilities are restricted.

Given these conditions, is it not proper that his income in these hard times be linked to pro-ductivity and comparable to that of others similarly placed? May I add simply that I am a private road user and that I was for seven years the general manager of a public railway system abroad?

Yours faithfully, R. DOUGLAS KIMBERLEY, 26 Binney Street, W1.

Slump strategies Home-grown hits

From Mr C. N. Beattie

Sir, I find it regrettably depressing to compare the altitude of today's Conservative Government to our economic and financial difficulties with that of the leaders of the party in the remarkably similar situation which existed in 1931.

Then the Conservative Party went to the electorate on a programme of pay cuts, particularly for Government employees, including sailors (not aluminium workers) at Invergordon, to be

imposed on a population already suffering privation.

A National Government made up largely of Conservatives was elected on that programme by an overwhelming majority of the British people, who responded as always to a situation where the nation was up against it.

Today's Conservative Govern-ment tells us that things are not so bad really, with social security cushioning everybody including strikers, that the best remedy is to work a bit less through early retirement and shorter hours, that we can go on having our pay rises but not by too much except for those who have industrial muscle and greed, and that then

things will gradually come right.
Will they? And will such a timid Government be re-elected by an overwhelming majority? Yours faithfully, C. N. BEATTIE, 24 Old Buildings, Lincoln's Inn, WC2.

From Mr Cameron Mackintosh Sir, Last Saturday (January 16) I read with great interest the

observations of your New York correspondent; John Heilpern, on the different make-up of Broad-way and London theatre. How-ever, the endless cheering and standing ovations witnessed by Mr Heilpern in New York have clearly mesmerized him to the extent where he has failed to notice that on this side of the Atlantic we Brits, in our own quiet way, have had at least a modicum of success in producing a modern musical. He would otherwise be aware that Trevor Nunn has already beaten Mr Fosse to it, and got Cats tap dancing across the stage to rapturous applause and standing ovations. In this instance, Broadway will have to wait until October to witness the same

spectacle.
In a week when English and American Equity have, thank-fully, taken the first tentative steps towards a free exchange between English and American performers, I hope the barriers between singing, dancing, and acting will continue to fall, so that the injust plays and musicals are presented on both sides of

Yours faithfully, CAMERON MACKINTOSH, Cameron Mackintosh Ltd., Fortune Theatre, Russell Street, WC2.

January 19.

from getting their names into first place; and this modesty is shared by the prolific Path brothers, and by that mysterious Slav gynaecologist, Dr B. S. Mrcog, whose single contri-bution, with Dr M. R. Path and

others, is listed in the Index Medicus for 1978. article for a discovery made in M. A. and B. A. Cantab, 1922 in connection with the cerebrospinal fluid. This caused brothers of the first mentioned gentlemen, have departed from the usual self-effacement and me to look into the activities of appeared (according to Index who have been prominent in the Medicus) as sole authors of obituaries in the Lancet in 1977 One of this fraternity is Dr M. and 1980 respectively, following the lead of Dr D. M. Oxon, who is

listed as having written two in 1975. Any readers who intend to consult a doctor should be warned about the infiltrations of this medical Mafia.

Yours faithfully, A. L. SPRIGGS. Churchill Hospital

January 27

'Sun' report on rail practices

From the Editorial Director of News Group Newspapers Ltd Sir, I was disturbed by Lord Hunt's letter (January 29) about The Sun's decision to publish allegations of malpractices by certain train drivers. Lord Hunt accepts that the report merited publication but feels that its protection our reess that its presentation amounted to "a blatant example of editorial indiscretion".

Apparently the story would have been acceptable to Lord Hunt had the Editor placed it on an obscure inside page under a

an obscure inside page under a subdued headline printed in the smallest type the printer could lay his hands on. This would have ensured that not many people read it, and that a minimum of embarrassment would have been caused to those working in the railway industry.

The Sun does not apologise for

using banner headlines and bold presentation to ensure that an issue of urgent public interest is thoroughly ventilated.

All of us at The Sun could have

had an easier life and a lot more sleep by miniaturising the story to appease union militants. Lord Hunt, who made a distinguished contribution as a member of the last Royal Commission on the Press, should be the last man to ascribe purely commercial motives to an outstanding example of journalistic enterprise and courage.

Yours faithfully, PETER STEPHENS, Editorial Director, News Group Newspapers Ltd, 30 Bouverie Street, EC4. January 29.

Tax on home-buying From Mr Mark Boleat

Sir, The Director of the Low Pay Unit (January 23) has strange ideas about the nature of tax-ation. The objection to stamp duty, as set out in your leader of January 19 and this association's representations to the Chancel-lor, is that it is a tax imposed on home-buyers. Indeed the only time that the vast majority of individuals will ever pay stamp duty is when they buy a home. For Mr Pond to refer to the reduction of stamp duty as a "concession" or a "relief" is to

add insult to injury. Mr Pond points out, correctly, that mortgage interest relief cost nearly £2,000m in 1980-81 — "a doubling of the revenue forgone in one year alone". In fact the increase was 35 per cent and the latest estimate is that tax relief in 1981-82 will be marginally less than in 1980-81.

Mr Pond suggests that the exemption of owner-occupied housing from the old schedule A tax is even more expensive. One accepts that either tax relief or rental incomes are imputed subsidies but both cannot be — a point readily accepted in the Labour Government's housing policy review. Similarly with the so-called capital gains tax exemption. If CGT was levied on owneroccupied housing and if rollover relief was applied in the normal way and even if house prices and the behaviour of house-buyers was unchanged the relief would

be very much less than the £2,400m quoted. The taxation of owner-occupied housing is a legitimate subject for debate but should not start from the premise that it should be more severe than for any other goods or service and that lack of any form of taxation

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represents a concession. Yours faithfully, MARK BOLEAT. Deputy Secretary-General, The Building Societies Association, 34 Park Street, W1.

Sexual violence

From Mr A. E. G. Wright

Sir, I sometimes think that Ronald Butt (feature, January 28) too facilely bombards superficial symptoms, such as pornography, instead of identifying the roots of our deep-seated social malaise (might not a widespread lack of self-respect be one?). But I strongly agree with him that a properly researched investigation into the backgrounds of rapists, and those of the perpetrators of non-sexual violence also, is now

an urgent priority. If Mr Butt were to visit my ocal underground station li Mr Butt were to visit my local underground station (Finsbury Park) he would observe the following slogans in foot-high letters: "Stop rape — kill men", "Castration on demand" and "Women only trans-

I hope he will agree that escalating the sex war in this barmy way isn't the right answer, Yours faithfully,

A. E. G. WRIGHT. 90 Uplands Road, N8. January 28.

Gravy training

From Mr H. F. Heinemann

Sir, On your front page (January 21) you enthused over Michelin's award of three stars to Le Gavroche. You quoted Michelin's chief inspector as saying the award "gives the lie to the national sport of denigrating British cooking". I thought this a bit strong, seeing Le Gavroche is French-owned and its diners statistically a negligible sample.
But trust The Times. On page

21 of the same issue you redressed the balance with a Law Report of an action alleging passing off of Gravymate as Bisto. Now that does go to the heart of British cooking. Yours faithfully, HENRY HEINEMANN, 8 Old Kennels Close, Oliver's Battery, Winchester,

Hampshire.

The sexual revolution

From Mrs Helge Rubinstein Sir, While I take Celia Haddon's point ("Are we victims of the new sexual orthodoxy?", January 27) that the "permissive society" has produced a new kind of sexual tyranny, I also know from my work as a marriage counsellor and sex therapist that innumerable individuals and couples have been released from much

Sexual ignorance is still amazingly rife among all age groups and the new freedom to talk about sex is only just beginning to change this, while the research done by Masters and Johnson and those who followed them (notably Helen Singer Kaplan who, incidentally, surely deserves a place in your sex researchers' gallery) has enabled us to help sufferers from many common sexual Guidance Co difficulties and so often helped 61 Clarendon couples whose marriage was January 26.

threatened by sexual problems to stay together. It may well be that the pendulum has swung a little too far, but we should all be a great deal worse off if it had not swnng Yours faithfully,

dices. Good luck to it.

HELGE RUBINSTEIN. Chairman, London Marriage Guidance Council, 61 Clarendon Road, W11.

Clergy of the Church of Scotland, which is the established church of that part of the realm, and clergy of the church of Rome, for historical reasons of a different

Mr Roy Plomley's imaginary

orders for the purposes of the invites the Government to away the whole obsolete

Denmore Lodge, Brunswick Gardens,

The Queen and the Duke of Edinburgh will attend the "Authors of the Year" party at New Zealand House, London, on

The Prince of Wales, as Colonel

Forthcoming marriages

Mr J. D. J. Gracie and Miss A. A. Bowyer-Smyth and Miss A. A. Bowyer-Smyth
The Sugagement is announced
between James son of the Rev
Anthony Gracie and the late Mrs
Marie Gracie, of Lyndon, Rutland, and Odiham, Hampshire,
and Amelia, daughter of the late
Captain Sir Philip Bowyer-Smyth,
Bt, RN, and Lady Bowyer-Smyth,
of Plascassier, France, and
Barnes, London.

Mr J. A. Follerton and Miss M. Linn

and MISS M. Limi The engagement is announced between Joseph, elder son of Dr and Mrs A. G. Fullerton, of Fernhill Heath, Worcester, and Maryann, only daughter of Mr and Mrs G. Linn, of Gurnard, Isle of Wight.

Mr T. Q. Keays and Miss G. M. Benson The engagement is announced between Thomas, second son of Colonel Hastings Keays and the late Mrs Keays, of Marksbury, Bath, and Georgina, elder daughter of Major and Mrs G. M. Benson, of Devizes.

Mr C. Kae-Scott
and Miss V. Jagger
The engagement is announced
between Christopher, elder son
of Mr and Mrs Philip Rae-Scott,
of Richmond, Surrey, and
Victoria, only daughter of Dr and
Mrs Derek Jagger, of Farnham,
Surrey.

Mr R. V. de S.-C. de Soissons and Miss F. M. Latham
The engagement is announced between Raoul Victor de Savoie-Carignan, elder son of Mr and Mrs G. de Soissons, of Lickfold, West Sussex, and Frances Mary, daughter of the late Mr G. H. Latham, LLD, JP, KSI, and of Mrs G. H. Latham, of Broadway Worcestershire.

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TODAY: Sir Herbert Ashworth, 72; Lord Bernstein, 83; Sir Frederick Catherwood, MEP, 57; Sir Leslie Farrer, 82; Miss Christina Foyle, 71; Mr Patrick Heron, 62; Lord Lowry, 63; Sir Foley Newns, 73; Professor A. C. Ogston, 71; Mr Louis Osman, 68; Sir Nikolaus Pevsner, 80; Mr Hal. Prince, 54; Miss Vanessa Redprayed, 45.

LAURLICUM

Prime Minister The Prime Minister was host at a luncheon given at 10 Downing Street yesterday in honour of General Alexander M. Haig, Secretary of State of the United States. The other guests were: The American Ambassador, Mr Edward J Sirvator, Mr Sherwood Goldberg, Mr Armstrong, Sir Michael Pallizer, Sir Robert Armstrong, Sir Michael Pallizer, Sir Robert Armstrong, Sir Michael Pallizer, Sir Robert Ashworth, 72; Lord Bernstein, 83; Sir Mehon given at 10 Downing Screet yesterday in honour of General Alexander M. Haig, Secretary of State of the United States. The American Ambassador, Mr Edward J Sirvator, Mr Ed



Dame Freya Stark, the traveller and writer, who is 89 tomorrow.

Service dinner

Northwood Bali. Lieutenant-Commar

dispute involving the orchestra.
This weeks performances in Glasgow have already been cancelled.

R. M. Ogilvie will be held in Balliol College Chapel, Oxford, at 2 pm today.

Dr P. H. Stephens The engagement is announced between Philip, elder son of Mr and Mrs Peter Stephens, of Finchampstead, Berkshire, and Clare, Younger daughter of Dr and Mrs John Batten, of Kew, Springer

the regimental St David's Day parade at Queen Elizabeth Barracks, Pirbright, Surrey, on March 1.

A memorial service for Professor

Surrey.

Marriages

Mr S. Oliver and Miss C. M. M. Birtwistle

The marriage took place Brompton Oratory, yestern Brompton Oratory yesterday between Mr Stewart Oliver, son of Squadron Leader and Mrs H. W. Oliver, of Staithe House, Brancaster Staithe, King's Lynn, Norfolk, and Miss. Caroline Birtwistle, eldest daughter of Mr and the Hon Mrs Anthony Birtwistle of Hatch Hill House, Hindhead, Surrey. Father E. J. Dalv officiated. assisted by The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of ivory satin and a silk tulle veil held in place by a floral headdress. She carried a bouquet

of orchids, white roses and freesjas, Maximilian Fane, Miss freesias. Maximilian Fane, Miss Lucinda Birtwistle, Miss Rebecca Reed and Miss Philippa Hawkings-Byass attended her. Captain Cyprian Birtwistle was best man. A reception was held at the Hyde Park Hotel and the honeymoon will be spent in Kenva.

und Mrs J. A. Allen

and Mrs J. A. Allen
The marriage took place quietly
on January 8, 1982, in Oxfordshire between Major John
Blakesley, only son of the late
Mr and Mrs R. H. Blakesley, of
Ramsey, Isle of Man, and Mrs
Varenna Allen, widow of Mr
John Allen and only daughter of
the late Mr Robert Marshall and
of Mrs Marshall, of Cookley
Green, Oxfordshire.



TOMORROW: Miss Carol Channing, 61; Mr Christopher Chataway, 51; Mr Robert Clatworthy, 54; Air Marshal Sir Christopher Hartley, 69; Air Commodore Lord Harvey, of Prestbury, 76; Mr Norman Mailer, 59; Miss Jean Simmonds, 53; The Rev Lord Soper, 79; Brigadier Sir Alex-ander Stanier, 83.

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RNK)/ of honour were Kear-Cumman and Mrs D. J. Hallifax and Air Marshal Sir Alfred and Lady

Dispute halts ballet The second week of the Royal Ballet's winter season, due to start in Leeds on Monday, has been cancelled because of a

Luncheon

Reception

HM Government
The Rt Hon George Younger,
Secretary of State for Scotland,
was bost last night at a reception
at 6 Charlotte Square, Edinburgh, for representatives of local government finance.

Dinners

the Savoy Motel on Thursday, Mr John N. Little, chairman, wel-comed as principal guests the Governor of the Bank of England, Mr Gordon Richardson, and Lord Justice Kerr, who responded to a toast to the guests. Among those present were:
Sir Robert Armstrong, Lord Ballour of
Burleigh, Lord Barber, Mr. Joel
Barnett, MP, Mr Leon Brittan, QC,
MP, Sir John Boreham, Mr Gordon
Borrie, Mr Joek Bruce-Gardyne, MP,

Faculty of Architects and Sur-

Handicapped Children and Adults (Mencap) at dinner at the House of Commons last night. Mr Peter Cowper, chairman of the branch, was in the chair and Mr Brian. Rix and Mr Jack Aspinwall, MP, also spoke. Other guests included the Lord Mayor of Westminster, the President of the Faculty of Architects and Surveyors

Where does evolution get you?

Major Darwin, RE, "Uncle "monetarism" to radical Lenny" as his niece Gwen egalitarianism. "In Germany Ravarat knew him, "main- it was represented chiefly by tained that a money standard democrats and socialists; in was the only possible criterion in deciding which human stocks should be ists as an argument for a encouraged to breed...A week state, condended by man who can part and here are not been contained by

vain, did Gwen plead In ophers, inventors, gypsies": Uncle Lenny had little use for them. He was president it degraded them to the of the Eugenic Society, and a status of animals."

nice man; but pernicious Of course, this was a
views can be held by powermisunderstanding of Darwin.

man who can earn and keep money shows that he has the qualities essential to survival" (G. Ravarat, Period as a middle-class doctrine please, 1952). appealing to the mediocre and submissive. "Militarists that "money had little im- found in it the sanction of portance for artists, philos- war... Some complained because it exalted men to the level of gods, others because

The phenomenon of "social Darwinism" is curious. The old man, Darwin, himself was puzzled by it. "I have received", he wrote to Lyell (1860), "in a Manchester newspaper, rather a good souid, showing that I have proved 'might is right' and therefore that Napoleon is right and every cheating tradesman is right". It is not clear whether Darwin was But we are not much better

The historian. Gertrude the heritability of moral nary observer that the "evolution" of man has led us to the variety of applications of to give us confidence in the "natural selection" to so-reliability of their proceedings of the "liberal" West ponents, as politicians or as much as for the "totali-

social planners. They have, tarian" blocks). Man's scient-for instance, been violently tific knowledge seems (tem-attacked by a liberal group in porarily?) to have outrun his America, "science for the moral ability to control the people", accusing them of forces he has discovered, fascism, racism, sexism, and treed, unleashed. The the rest; all of which they examples are obvious: his indignation of the control of indignantly deny.

impossibly complex world.
If 'neo-Darwinism' (call it

what you will) can throw some minimal light on this question, that light should be clear whether Darwin was (sociology, anthropology, admirers, that his greatest weakness is precisely in his being drawn from his work.

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inability to control suicidal But what is clear from this nuclear proliferation; the story is that Christians have expendibility of natural rebeen wasting time and pow-sources; the microchip revol-der on the absurd and ution and its consequences der on the absurd and ution and its consequences irrelevant battles about Genesis and monkeys. The essential issue for all of us, and a fortior for Christians, is the prospects of genetic engingular future (the survival?) of man. That means, for theists at least, the nature of God's purpose for men in an almost impossibly complex world.

If "neo-Darwinism" (call it asserting; that dimension of human experience which takes little notice of "time",

"history", or "progress".

During the famous debate of the British Association between T. H. Huxley and Samuel Wilberforce on "man and apes" (1860), there was intervention from the floor which seems to have passed almost unnoticed.
"Mr Greeley, an old Oxford don, pointed out that in human nature, at least, orderly development was not the necessary rule. Homer was the greatest of poets, but he lived 3,000 years ago, and has not produced his like." (Autobiography of Charles Darwin and Selected Letters.)

M. Jarrett-Kerr, CR

Theatre gets grant back

The Arts Council, which with-drew its grant from the Open Air Theatre in Regent's Park Lon-don, last year, is to come to its aid again this year, the Theatre's fiftieth anniversary (Our Arts Correspondent writes). Correspondent writes).
Sir Roy Shaw, secretary general, said yesterday that the Council had decided to give a special guarantee against loss of special guarantee against loss of the to £20,000. The amount the New Shakespeare Company, under its director, David Con-ville, will receive depends on the amount of money the theatre raises in support and sponsorship apart from box office receipts

Advisory body on higher education. The members of the Committee for Local Authority Higher

The members of the Committee for Local Authority Higher Education are to be:
Chairman: Mr Williams Waldegrave, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State: members: Mr CJ E Ball, warden of Kehle College, Oxford, Mrs J Rarrisagton, Association of County Councils, (ACC), Mrs N Harrisan, Association of Metropolitan Authorities, (AMA), Mr J A Lawton, IACC), Mr PD Merridale, (ACC), Mr PD Merridale

Members of the Board

Consular post

Mr Henry J. Harper, Consul of Monaco at Birmingham, has been elected President of the Birming-ham Consular Association.

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Rector.

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ST MARGARET'S. Westminster: HC.

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ST MARTIN-IN-THE-FIELDS: Family Communion, 9.45. Rev F Stevens: morning service, 11.15. Norman logram-Smith. Choral Evensions, 4.15. evening service. 6.30: The Vicar.

the Bonnin and Morris factory of Philadelphia and dates from about 1771-72, imitating a design made at the Bow factory in London.

Bonnin and Morris's factory

Bonnin and Morris's factory survived for unly two years but was the only porcelian factory in America in the eighteenth century. Very little was known about it until 10 years ago, when painstaking research began to put it on the map. At the last count only 12 pieces from the factory had been identified.

1 per cent unsold.

Ranging from Hispano-Moresque, through Staffordshire to William de Morgan, the top price of the collection was \$6,490 (estimate \$2,000 to \$2,500) or

(estimate \$2,000 to \$2,500) or £3,380 for a large William de Morgan ruby lustre vase of the late Fulham period (1898-1907). Predictably, a Sotheby; New York sale of American primitive paintings, with 14 per cept unsold, was more expensive and successful than Christie's sale of important English paintings. important English paintings in London yesterday, with 28 per cent unsold.

Fourth Sunday after Epiphany

ROYAL NAVAL COLLEGE CHAPEL Greenwich (public welcomed): HC. 8-30 and 12. 11. Morning Service, Rev J Oliver: A: Lo. star-led Chiefs (Crotch): GRAPEL Wellington Barracks. M. 11. Rev J S Weslmuckell: HC. noosa: HC. o. 35 Weslmuckell: H Sonaia No I in A Major Imenavasonaia No I in A Major Imenavasonaia Major Impalit.
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Holy Child (Eccard). Rev J McCollough.
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ALL SAINTS. Margaret Street: LM. 8
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25 Years Ago From The Times of Tuesday

January 29 1957
Vienna, Jan 28.—The British Minister to Hungary, Mr Fry, today asked the Hungarian authorities by letter for permission for him or his representatives to visit the Oxford Students arrested on charges of espionage. Previous attempts by the legation staff to gain access to the students, who are believed to the students, who are believed to be held in a Budapest prison, have met with no success. The four concerned are Miss Judith

OBITUARY BRIGADIER W. G. CARR

Pioneer of converting cavalry

to armour

Brigadier W. G. Carr, CVO, the southern flank of the DSO, who died on January 27 Eighth Army in May 1942 ("happily out hunting") at Later he commanded the 4th the age of 80, was a well- Light Armoured Brigada known armoured commander which successfully harassed in the Western Desert.

The son of William Carr, of Ditchingham Hall, Norfolk, he was educated at Eton and Oxford and commissioned into the 12th Lancers in 1922. This was one of the first two cavalry regiments in the British Army to be mechanized, the other being the 11th Hussars. As adjutant of the 12th, Bill Carr was one of a small group of cavalry officers who were the pioneers of the conversion of cavalry to armour. The peace time service of the 12th in Egypt equipped them for their subsequent proficiency

in the war in the Western Bill Carr's role extended beyond the training of his own regiment. He played an equally important part in the training of two yeomanry armoured regiments, as adjuarmoured regiments, as adju-tant of the 3rd County of London Yeomanry (Sharp-shooters) and commanding officer of the 4th C.L.Y. which was raised as a sister regiment shortly before the war. Both these regiments, like the 12th Lancers, fought with distinction in the Western Desert and other theatres of war. While still a captain he was made brevet lieutenant-colonel, an un-usual distinction in the pre-

war Regular Army. On promotion to brigadier he was given the command of the 22nd Armoured Brigade, comprising both Sharp-shooter Regiments and the 2nd Royal Gloucestershire games.

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brigade which gave the Nennella, daugh
Afrika Corps its first "bloody General Count Salanose" when attacking from had one daughter.

SIR RICHARD GRAHAM

Sir Richard Graham, Bt, OBE, chairman of Yorkshire up the post of Pro-Chancellor Television from the birth of the University of Leeds the company until the end of which he had held for eight agreed to stay on the board until May. .

The eldest son of Sir Guy Graham, ninth baronet, DSO, he was born on May 17, 1912, and educated at Eton and Magdelene College, Cambridge. In the second World War he served in the RAFVR, M. S. Seymour-Smith, DSO.

They had three sons of whom attaining the rank of wing They had three sons of whom commander. He succeeded to the elder, Mr. James Belling the baronetcy on the death of his father in 1940.

Miss May Davidson, CBE, up a psychological service, died on January 5, and with stimulating research and her death British psychology training psychology gradulost one of its most eminent ates for work in clinical ractioners. research or for appointments
May Alison Davidson was in the National Health Serpractioners.

born in Capetown on vice. November 14, 1914. Before Al coming to this country she psychology and education and had begun a teaching career. However the individual differences in personality and behaviour among her pupils diverted her to work in the Capetown Child Guid-

ance Clinic.
In 1938 May Davidson came to London to take up a research fellowship in Psychology at University College. Subsequently she be-came an experimental officer in the Operational Research Unit of the Admiralty and after the war she trained as an educational psychologist. In 1946 she was appointed psychologist to the City of Oxford Education Committee and through collaboration with colleagues of several disciplines she helped to ensure that a thoroughly coordinated service would develop. Administration and practice alone were not enough and she initiated research and participated in several medical projects which led her to envisage an

Davidson migrated from the Davidson ingrated from the first conteagues will apply the conteagues of the Health great deal and will apply the Oxford region she wor- affection earned by her ked for the next 30 years personal warmth and good, until her retirement building fellowship.

DR DAVID R. LOCKHART Dr David R. Lockhart, a BOCM. He then held various

senior member of Unilever's posts, becoming raw mater chemical business and chairman of the Urachem Division, died on January 25.

gained a BSc in chemistry and a PhD in organic chemistry at Glasgow University. He pointment as characteristic formed Unilever in 1959 as a Urachem.

management trainee with the animal feeding stuff company and one daughter.

BRIGADIER B. W. WEBB-CARTER

played an important part in battalion (the old 33rd as he reviving the society after the Second World War and was became a byword for gallan try and coolness under fire many years.

society pleased him enor- She was Gladys Dora Mary-mously and he continued to daughter of Bayley Parket.

the Afrika Corps when it penetrated the southern flank of the Alamen positions before the defeat at Alam Halfa. For this he was awarded a bar to his DSO which he had gained in 1941 Carr's outstanding gift as a

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soldier was foresight. He was ahead of his time in training an armoured regiment for battle. He did not rely on the manuals - such as they were but thought things out for himself. He was a "driver" and a disciplinarian but had a wide circle of friends both inside and outside the Army, whom he used unashame to further the interests of the regiments with which he was associated. He was personally courageous and a good leader in battle. In many ways Carr bore all the hallmarks of the traditional pre-war British cavalry officer, except the he looked to the future instead of to the past Although he did not rise to command large formations his influence was very great among the small hard core of officers who had to fight the early armoured battles.

Later in the war Brigadier Carr returned to England where he became Comman dant of Sandhurst. He was Lieutenant of the

Queen's Bodyguard of the Yeoman of the Guard in 1970. 71 and a Deputy Lieutenant for Norfolk. In 1936 he was in the English equestrian team at the Berlin Olympic games. He married in 1928 Donna

Nennella, daughter of General Count Salazar. They

last month, died yesterday at years. He was a former the age of 69. He retired at president of the Yorkshire his own request but had Agricultural Society and a former chairman of the Yorkshire Insurance Comany. He was a Deputy Lieutenant for North York-shire (formerly the North

Riding): He was made OBE in 1946. ham Graham, succeds his father

MISS MAY DAVIDSON

Although a woman of great intellect and proven research ability, devoted to a rational and empirical basis for the practice of psychology, her major contribution was more. of a professional than an academic nature. She was a gifted practitioner to whom, for example, many emotionally disturbed Oxford under-

graduates owe a great debt, sometimes even their ultimate degree successes.

Even so, much of Miss
Davidson's abundant energy and enthusiasm was applied to more administrative and organisational enterprises. A Fellow and former president of the British Psychological Society and chairman of its Clinical Division and Professional Affairs Board, ale also did much to give the profession of clinical psychology its present shape by her influence on government departments and other official and inter-professional organisations. She served on the influential Trethowan psychologists in the Health Service and became the first which ted her to envisage an official advisor to the Depair medicine for the application of psychology.

It is not surprising that with the inception of the National Health Service May made C.B.E.

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food flavouring business, Food Industries Limited, at Bromborough, Wirral. In late Born in Scotland, he 1979 he moved to Unilever House, London, on his appointment as chairman of He leaves a widow, one son

Major-General James Lunt take a close interest in our

Major-General James Lunt take a close interest in our affairs until very recently. Since I began my career in the "Dukes", I knew him for nearly 45 years although. I never served with him. He was in every sense of the word a character, always inmittary prints, uniforms and the history of his regiment, the Duke of Wellington's. He played an important part in battalion (the old 33rd as he battalion (the old 33rd as he commander of the large part in the sense of the large played an important part in battalion (the old 33rd as he commander of the large played an important part in battalion (the old 33rd as he commander of the large played an important part in large played an important played played an important played played an important played p

The Dowager Lady Garvagh, His election after his The Dowager Lady Garvage, retirement as chairman to be widow of the fourth Baron a vice-president of the Garvagh, died on January 27.

The problem, which was a relatively novel one, arose from two recent developments. Since the transfer of wardship proceedings from the Chancery Division to the Family Division by statute to the Family Division by statute the number of cases had risen considerably and the jurisdiction 1925, section 50, now section 51

Finance Houses Association
The annual dinner of the Finance
Houses Association was held at
the Savoy Hotel on Thursday. Mr

recons of Architects and Health and Honorary Fellow of the Faculty of Architects and Surveyors, entertained the London branch of the Faculty of Architects and Surveyors and the Royal Sociey for Mentally Handicapped Children and Adults (Mancan) at dinner at the House

By Geraldine Norman, Sale Room Correspondent

A sweetmeat or pickle stand became the most expensive piece was a new discovery. A New Yorker who had paid \$2 for it in at auction when it fetched a jumble sale brought the stand \$66,000 (estimate \$20,000 to \$30,000), or £34,375, at Southeby's. The sale of American pottery by's New York on Thursday. It was bought by J. Garrison Stradling, a New York dealer. It is in the form of a shell, with three scallop shells at the bottom and a central pillar of coral supporting a fluted bowl; the was equally successful, with only porcelain is white, with the bowls. porcelain is white, with the bowls edged in blue. It is a product of

was equally successful, with only 1 per cent unsold.

Law Report January 30 1982 Court of Appeal

Sharing costs in wardship cases

In re G (a Minor) Before Lord Justice Ormrod, Lord Justice Fox and Mrs Justice Heilbron At the same time, a policy of strict control of public spending had been adopted by the Government which involved the imposition of cash limits which meant that all public bodies had to watch their expenditure very iJudgment delivered January 29] There was no rule of practice in wardship and custody cases which required the court to order the plaintiff in wardship proceedings to pay the Official Solicitor's crosts unless these was supposed. carefully. It was, therefore, no longer appropriate to approach the problem raised by the appeal by saying that the costs would have to be borne by the public either way, so that it mattered little out of which public pocket

ings to pay the Official Solicitor's costs unless there were special reasons to the contrary. Conversely, there was no rule that the parties should pay their own costs unless there were special reasons to the contrary. Statute gave the trial judge an unfettered discretion over costs.

The Court of Appeal so held in allowing an appeal by the London Borough of Lewisham, from an order of Mr Justice Hollings in wardship proceedings. The judge had ordered the local authority to pay half the costs of the Official Solicitor who was acting as guardian ad litem of the wards. they were paid. It now mattered greatly to the individual pockets concerned.

Parallel with those developments a significant change of practice had taken place. It became routine to make children parties: • the proceedings and to bring in the Official Solicitor at an early stage. That increased the workload of the Official Solicitor

workload of the Official Solicitor and his necessary expenditure.
Recently, the court drew attention to that new practice and questioned its value in all cases. As a result, the President on December 8, 1981 issued a Practice Direction ([1982] 1 WLR 118) that the order for joinder should only be made where the Mr Anthony Scrivener, QC and Miss Anita Ryan for the local authority: Mr Lionel Swift, QC and Mr Paul H. Collins for the Official Solicitor. LORD JUSTICE ORMROD, giving the reserved judgment of the court, said that the appeal was brought on a friendly basis to determine what, if any, should only be made where the judge or registrar considered that there was a special reason for bringing in the Official Solicitor. That should reduce the to determine what, if any, provision should be made for the Official Solicitor's costs as guardian ad litem for the ward in wardship proceedings intiated by a local authority in the interests of the child or children concosts and burden on the Official-Solicitor. However, the court had been informed that there were several cases awaiting the de-cision in the present appeal. There was now no specific provision in the Rules of the Supreme Court relating to the costs of the Official Solicitor as guardian 4d litem since Order 55,

rule 13 was rescinded in or about

was being used increasingly by local authorities.

At the same time, a policy of strict courtol of public spending bad been adopted by the Government which involved the imposition of cash limits which meant that all public bodies had to watch their expenditure very trial under. trial judge.

The judge did not apply his mind to the underlying considerations which were not brought to his attention and so

did not exercise his discretion judicially. His order was, therefore, open to review. fore, open to review.

There was no rule of practice in wardship and custody, cases which required the court to order a plaintiff in wardship proceedings to pay the Official Solicitor's costs, unless there were special reasons the the contrary. Conversely, there was no rule that in such cases the parties should pay their own costs unless there were special reasons the the contrary. The statute gave the trial judge an unfettered discretion over

All the court could properly do was to direct attention to some of the considerations which trial judges should bear in mind in reaching their decisions as to costs. The first and most important of those considerations, was that a judge, whenever he thought it right to invoke the assistance of the Official Solicitor, should feel free to do so without being constrained by anxiety about the possible effects in relation to costs on one or the other, or both of the parties to the proceedings.

The consideration applied particularly where the Official Solicitor was appointed on the judge's own motion. That did not mean that it would not be just in come case to where own other.

some cases to order one or other of the parties to bear the costs

In other cases where the Official Solicitor was appointed on the application of one or both parties either to assist generally in the interests of the child or for a particular purpose, for example, to obtain a psychiatric or other expert report on the child, it might be just to order the Official Solicitor's costs or a second of the child, it might be just to order the Official Solicitor's costs or a second of the official Solicito the Official Solicitor's costs, or a proportion of them, to be borne by the party asking for his assistance.
The Official Solicitor could be

The Official Solicitor could be appointed only if he had consented to act. That enabled him, where he thought it right, to ask for a full or partial indemnity for his costs. That was some protection, but where the appointment was on the indge's own motion it would rarely, if ever, be applicable.

Where the proceedings were

Where a local authority had initiated the proceedings there seemed to be no reason to approach the question of costs in

Where the proceedings were between the parents, both of whom were acting in the child's interests, it was not uncommon to make no order as to the costs of the proceedings.

approach the question of costs in any special way. It was to be hoped that when public bodies were involved they would be able to agree between themselves how the Official Solicitor's costs should be dealt with. If not, the matter would have to be determined by the judge in the light of all the circumstances of the case. In the present case the judge's order could probably be supported on the foregoing considerations, but the court was not in possession of all the facts and circumstances so that if either party wished, it would be right to send the case buck to the judge to reconsider his order.

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From the Opium War (1840-42) onwards blows fell on China: national dignity was affronted, confidence was undermined, the complacency of the mandarins was cruelly exposed. Yet a new-found nationalism only finally exploded following China's defeat by Japan in 1895. The last days of the Qing, or Manchu dynasty were signalled thus by the Boxer catastrophe of 1900.

Revolution was thus in the air in China; in shame at national backwardness, in anxiety at facing western power. In an age of liberation women, too, joined the forces seeking change. This is the brief story of one such woman, born just over a hundred years ago.

In 1904 a young woman, Qiu Jin, took the logical step of combining nationalism and feminism by concentrating on the plight of the two hundred million women in China. She described this plight in an essay published in the autumn of 1904 in one of the new radical Chinese journals appear. radical Chinese journals appearing in Japan, in terms of her own personal experience of what such subjugation could mean:

"We, the two hundred million women of China, are the most unfairly treated objects on this earth. If we have a decent father, then we will be all right at the time of our birth; but if he is crude by nature, or an unreasonable man, he will immediately start spewing out phrases like 'Oh what an ill-omened day, here's another useless one'. If only he could, he would dash us to the ground. He keeps repeat-ing, 'She will be in someone else's family later on', and looks at us with cold or disdainful eyes. "Before many years have

passed, without anyone's bothering to ask if it's right or wrong, they take out a pair of snow-white bands and bind them around our feet, tightening them with strips of white cotton; even when we go to bed at night we are not allowed to loosen them the least bit, with the result that the flesh peels away and the bones buckle under. The sole purpose of all this is just to ensure that our relatives, friends, and neighbours will all say, 'At the so-and-so's the girls have small feet' "Not only that, when it comes

time to pick a son-in-law, they rely on the advice of a couple of shameless matchmakers, caring only that the man's family have some money or influence; they don't bother to find out if his good, or what his character is like, or whether he's bright or stupid — they just go along with the arrangement. When it's time to get married and move to the new house, they hire the bride a sedan chair all decked out with multicoloured embroidery, but sitting shut up inside it one can barely breathe. And once you get there, whatever your husband is like, as long as he's a family man they will tell you that you were blessed in a previous existence and are being rewarded in this one. If he turns out no good they will tell you it's 'retribution for that earlier existence' or 'the aura was all wrong'."

Qiu Jin was protesting against injustices that had existed for centuries, and the nature and vigour of her protest indicates one of the many crosscurrents in the spreading flood of the Chinese revolution. The growing number of girls' schools in China, the influence of Western missionary teachers and of Chinese reformists, the founding of hostels for women and of clubs to promote the marriage of those with unbound feet, the return of the first Chinese women graduates from overseas, the publication of magazines and newspapers focusing on women's issues, the translation of books and pamphlets about Western feminist leaders — all contributed to the radical nationalism of the day. In dozens of Qiu Jin's poems we find her emphasizing the need for a new women's spirit. The sentiments in her 1904

essay were products both of the times and of her own personal experiences. According to some sources, her father had been kindly and indulgent to her, but the attack on insensitive fathers in her essay does not seem to have been entirely rhetorical. We can gauge something of her negative feelings towards her deceased father from a letter she wrote in 1905, in which she pointed out that if the family would only stop spending so much on the sacrifices to his memory, then they would all have

enough to eat. On foot-binding, the strength of her emotion suggests that her own feet had been bound as a girl, and some of her poems imply that she had unbound her feet herself in later life; in another poem, she wrote that "as long as we have these tiny threeinch feet we can do absolutely nothing. We must abolish the Practice".

As for arranged marriages, she once told her brother that most of her own personal troubles sprang from the central fact that she had not been free to choose her own husband and the one she had ended up with was not a decent man. Her feelings about the merchant husband from Hunan province whom her parents had compelled her to marry were expressed beyond

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The story of Qiu Jin, poet, feminist and revolutionary, by Jonathan D. Spence

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ship (with what money she could scrounge together) for Japan.

In an eight-line poem written after she left Peking, called simply "Regrets: Lines Written En Route to Japan," Qiu Jin summed up her life at twenty-

Sun and moon have no light left, earth is dark; Our women's world is sunk so deep, who can help us?

Jewelry sold to pay this trip

across the seas, Cut off from my family I leave my native land. Unbinding my feet I clean out a

thousand years of poison, With heated heart arouse all m's spirits. Alas, this delicate kerchief here Is half stained with blood, and half with tears.

The Chinese students studying in Japan, among whom she now found herself, were in a para-doxical situation. By leaving home they had deliberately turned their backs on the traditional pattern of the Confucian educational system, and though in many cases they had been chosen for study abroad by senior Qing officials in their home provinces, and received comfortable stipends as long as they enrolled in an accredited Japanese school and followed a formal course of study, their chances of getting regular employment when they returned to China were by no means assured They were closely watched by representatives of the Qing government in Japan, and they were expected to behave with decorum; yet at the same time they were subjected to an extraordinary flood of new ideas and experiences and were made acutely aware of the weakness of the Qing dynasty and its back-wardness in comparison to the

Meiji government in Japan.
When the Japanese defeated the Tsarist armies in the war of 1904-1905 and prevented their encroaching farther into Man-churia, the admiration of these Chinese students was unbounded. Japan's victory demonstrated with renewed vividness how the Meiji reforms had strengthened the entire nation, and in rejoicing that an Asian nation had at last defeated a major European power, the Chinese felt that much of the shame over their own defeat at the hands of the Japanese in 1894 was expunged. In a poem in heroic vein Qiu

Jin praised the Japanese victory over the "powerful, devious, and absolutely untrustworthy Russians", who had seized Chinese territory despite the protests of the whole world; she contrasted them with the unified front of the Japanese, in which the country rose up as one and women volunteers serving with the Red Cross were allowed to accompany

Iin had been in Peking during the Boxer Rebellion and had witnessed the shame of the allied occupation of the city; now, as she read the magazines published by Chinese student groups in Japan, she was presented with emotion-charged essays that at-tacked the Manchus as being of racial stock inferior to the Chinese, that exalted the act of assassination as a means of arousing the people to revolutionary action.

In her poems Qiu Jin began to invoke the spirit of Rousseau and the Polish patriots who had struggled for their freedom. She saluted an assassination attempt on the five Qing commissioners as endeavouring to bring some spirit back to the Chinese people, who had been "dead for more than two hundred years".

The Chinese studying in Japan often clubbed together according to provincial origin; hence Qiu Jin, who had been born in Zhejiang province, had married a Hunanese, and then had lived as a young mother in Peking, met and became active with people from all these areas. While she was technically enrolled in the Aoyama Vocational Girls School in Tokyo, she was working with a society of women progressives and writing essays for The Vernacular Journal, which had been founded by Chinese students in Tokyo. She joined an overseas branch of the Triad secret society in Yokohama, and in the summer of 1905 she was admitted to the ranks of the Revolutionary Alliance, a new, centralized organization formed by Sun Yat-sen and his sup-porters.

She was not sure how to define her identity as a woman revol-utionary. On one level she glorified the martial arts, marks-manship, and bomb-making of her male comrades; in tender poems she also spoke of her women friends and their own needs and aspirations. At some stage, in Tokyo, she had herself photographed in male Western attire — dark three-button suit wing collar, soft cloth cap, dusty walking shoes — and holding a cane. In a wry poem she commented on this person she saw gazing back at herself;

Who is this person, staring at me so sternly? The martial bones I bring from a former existence regret the flesh that covers them Once life is over, the body itself will not be seen to have been a deception,
And the land of ours that has not

yet emerged, that will be real. You and I should have got together long ago, and shared our feelings; Looking out across these difficult times our spirits garner strength.

excitement discovering a new mode of existence, she was constantly short of money in Japan and felt the pain of separation from her family. But when her elder brother Yuzhang, apparently responding to her mood of dejection, wrote to her on behalf of the family, suggesting that she return to China and make up with her former husband, Qiu Jin's response (dated June 19, 1905),in which she summarized her views of her former husband's charac-

ter, was unambiguous:

As a serious upper-

class Chinese woman Qiu Jin holds a sword,

but as a student in

Japan flaunts her

independence by wearing Western

worse than an animal's. I have never known human shamelessness like it. Now that he has seized my remaining jewelry, how can we even think of him as being a human? He treats me as less than nothing, and I am sure that the reason for his taking my money and possessions is that he wants to finish me off. My treatment in that household was worse than a slave's; the poison of hatred has eaten deeply into me. If I am treated decently I respond decently; if I am treated as being of no account, then I respond in the same way — it's not that I have no feelings. When

"That person's behaviour is

I think of him my hair bristles with anger, it's absolutely unbearable.

"Send my sister to try to get my money back — if he won't give it up, then sever all relations. I have thought this through fairly thorough tracker. through fairly thoroughly: rather than be treated as a slave, why should I not stand up for myself? Henceforth I am going to try to support myself through my own efforts; why should I be some-body's wife? Besides which, we hate each other so much that regions of northern Zhejiang nothing good could come of it. province, and in late 1905 many

There has been no letter from him for a year, he has shown no respect to his seniors in my family, and I have also heard that he has taken a new wife.
"If any of the sentiments I have just expressed prove to be mere rhetoric, may the gods above abandon me. If I progress

even one inch. I shall never let his family name be used on top of mine. If I cannot progress even that inch, and am unable to support myself, then I shall sue him to get back my son, my daughter, and my property. If the suit fails, then I shall die". In early 1906 Qin Jin did in fact return to China, but not to her former husband or her family, Instead, she went to the Shanghai area, where she had formed close

friendships with some of the revolutionaries, and where she could be confident of a sympathetic audience in a lively intellec-tual and political milieu. In Shanghai a group of radical teachers and intellectuals, several of whom had also studied in Japan, had tried to coordinate the various anti-Oing forces in the city into the Restoration Society. 'Restoration' in this context had the revolutionary overtones of battling for popular and national sovereignty and had nothing to do with the "restoring" of the Emperor Guangxu.

The goal of the Shanghai group was fundamentally anti-Manchu, and was succinctly expressed in their blood oath (which echoed the words of a Song dynasty patriot repelling Jurchen patriot repelling Jurchen invaders in the twelfth century) "Restore the Chinese race, and recover our mountains and rivers". In 1905, Restoration Society members were active in boycotts directed against American businesses, in protest against the ratification by President Theodore Roosevelt of even more stringent laws against Chinese immigration into the United States. In 1905 and the following year the society's ranks were swelled by contacts in nearby regions of northern Zhejiang

Qing dynasty had no resources left whatsoever. In these circumstances Qiu Jin

controlled the situation while the

In these circumstances Qiu Jin played out the final act in her drama. The actual setting was the Datong School, an institution that exemplified both the boldness and impracticality of the Zhejiang revolutionaries. It had been established by Xu Xilin in the early summer of 1905 as a front organization to conceal the stocks of guns and ammunition he had purchased in Shanghai he had purchased in Shanghai that spring, and the first programme organized by the school—with official blessing—was a six-month training session for rural militia organizers, though it also offered classes in English, Ispanese physics and art.

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After Ku left the Datong
School in late 1905, a succession of leaders and as many quarrels weakened it considerably, but in 1907 Qiu Jin was appointed to the faculty, a job she combined with directing a local girls' school and a physical-education association.

Far from attempting to pose as a retiring schoolteacher, Qiu Jin drew adverse attention from the conservative local elite by riding into town astride on horseback, dressed in Western male attire and by encouraging her girl students to engage in military drills. Qiu had been given the task of coordinating secret-society activities with the Restoration Society's risings and with Xu Xilin; this task proved difficult, however, since Xu was some distance away, having accepted the directorship of the police academy at Anging, to the west, in Anhui province. Qiu Jin did draw up elaborate plans for the military organization, down to details of uniforms and of their flag — which she envisioned as being a giant version of the ideograph for "Han Chinese," in black, sewn on to a pure white ground. She also held a number of meetings, raised funds, and tried to keep communications

open by courier.
But in reaching out to the broader masses who might have supported a revolution she had no experience whatever. Perhaps the closest she had come to the Chinese working poor was when she was crammed in among the coolies while travelling third class to Japan, but then — as she told her friend Wu Zhiying — she had always carried a dagger for

In Zhejiang, at any rate, she was never able to reach down beyond the level of the local secret-society leaders, though the province was ripe for social violence: a desperate peasantry had endured a succession of near-famine years, poor conditions in the province were exacerbated by the presence of outside Zhejiang, and the poorer townsmen of Shaoxing had rioted twice for food in 1907.

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From the time of her return to China, Qiu Jin was in conflict, pulled by the sometimes parallel

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demands for gradualist reforms

of benefit to women on the one

hand and for violent revolu-

tionary change on the other. She

told her close friend the famous

woman calligrapher Wu Zhiying

different from the other youthful revolutionaries of her day: "Women must get educated and

strive for their own indepen-

dence; they can't just go on asking the men for everything. The young intellectuals are all channing, 'Revolution, Revolu-

channing, 'Revolution, Revolu-tion', but I say the revolution will

have to start in our homes, by achieving equal rights for

.It was in this vein that she

founded and wrote for The

Chinese Women's Journal in Shanghai, taught at a local girls'

school near the city, and trans-

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would take several decades. Yet

at the same time she felt drawn to

the life of violent revolutionary

was racing past her. We know

from one of her poems that she

felt old at twenty-seven, and sick at heart that she had

"accomplished nothing".
At this juncture Qiu Jin's career intermeshed with that of a

cousin, a fellow native of the prosperous Zhejiang city of Shaoxing, named Xu Xilin. Xu,

thirty-three years old in 1906, had

had a restless and varied career that had taken him to Japan and had led him into the ranks of the

Restoration Society (though he refused to join Sun Yat-sen's Revolutionary Alliance) and then

into the edges of the military and police bureaucracy.

Leaders in the Restoration

Society were eager to foment a rebellion in Zhejiang and thought that both Xu Xilin and Qiu Jin might be capable leaders. The idea appealed to them, for each

had a full measure of that

recklessness which one can find

among certain people in any

revolutionary situation; this is not that neglect of consequences to oneself which is needed to lead

organized forces into war, or

even that desperation necessary

to charge police lines or storm

barricades, but, rather, a reck

lessness concerning all possible

consequences, which invites dis-covery and punishment even as it

seems to promise inviolability. Thus, although the "revolution-ary forces" they could call upon

in Zhejiang consisted of little

more than a loose confederation

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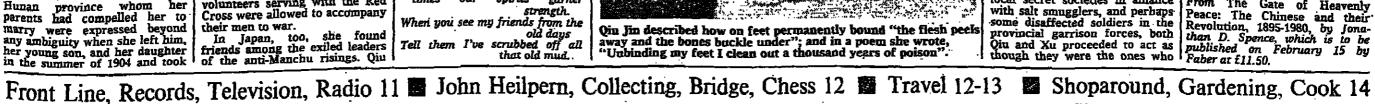
In the meantime, the Qing authorities were alarmed both by rumours of activities at Oiu's school - which they searched several times in the spring and summer of 1907 — and by the possibilities of trouble at Anging. In late June 1907, Xu was alerted to danger by the extraordinary fact that he was ordered to arrest himself — as head of the police academy he had been given the order to round up all the suspects on a list of names obtained by the government, a list that included a coded version of his own name.

His response was to try to swing his Anging academy be-hind him by a violent revolutionary act. On July 6 he was able to shoot and kill the Manchu governor of Anhui province at the academy's graduation exercises, but only about thirty men joined him for what was meant to be the outbreak of the revolution lated selections from Japanese works on health care and nursing calculation that a slow shift of women's position in society, if undertaken through education, proper. They fought for four hours, were arrested, interrog-ated briefly, and executed. At the request of the murdered gover-nor's family, Xu's heart was cut out and offered to his victim's activism, was attracted by those selfsame young people who cried, "Revolution!" and feared lest life memory.

Qiu Jin learned of these events in Anging by reading the Shang-hai newspapers, but she dis-dained all suggestions that she flee the Datong School, although her arrest was almost a certainty. Government troops did indeed arrive in Datong on July 13. Qiu Jin and a handful of her students tried to fight off the troops but she was soon cornered and arrested. After interrogation under torture, she was beheaded on July 15.

With great regularity in her earlier poems, Qiu Jin had used her own family name of Qiu, which in Chinese has the literal meaning of "autumn"; and in scores of punning or alliterative lines that linked "Qiu" to the words for rain and wind, she evoked the chill dampness of the season, which seemed a fitting commentary on her own de-pressed existence as a young married woman. This period had been succeeded by one in which she showed a more spirited selfconciousnesss concerning her roles as a woman, and which in turn led to the heights of revolutionary bravado. But in the moments before her execution Oiu Jin wrote a final line of verse that returned to the earlier themes and because of its resonance ensured that her sorrowing side rather than the analytical or martial one would live on more vividly in the memories of her people: "Autumn rain, autumn wind, they make one die of sorrow."

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who stars in BBC I's Play for Today "Life After Death" by Rachel Billington, transmitted next Tuesday



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eyeing the progress of her career with some uncercareer with some uncertainty. It appears to her to lack a pattern, and that prompts her to recoil with some alarm from the suggestion that she might attempt her memoirs. "I couldn't do it I can't see anything I it. I can't see anything I could write down in any definable way. It's rather frightening attempting to extract any pattern. An actress often feels defined by the part she happens to be acting at the time. So I have no idea how I would tie it all together. And you have to be a good writer. I can barely put two sentences together, but I love English and I couldn't stand it if it wasn't good English."

She has lived in semi-rural

seclusion in the London suburb of Barnes for the past 15 years. It is a place which has something of her person-ality, being part of a larger, cruder entity — in her case show business — yet also being, serene enough to assert its independence. She cycles round the place thinking happily, lately at least, that it will probably be just the same when she is old and grey. Even recent consider-ation that her local dentist would survive her was cause for a brief epiphany.

But the random serenity is currently disturbed by a nervous sense that she is not working as hard as she would like. Nevertheless television is looming large at the noment: apart from Life After Death, she is to appear in a Tales of the Unexpected as well as the BBC version of Schnitzler's La Ronde. Next month she also starts work for a series from Vorkshire for a series' from Yorkshire in which she plays Margot Asquith. "It is so odd. My First film was for Anthony
Asquith — The Importance of
Being Ernest — now I'm
playing his mother, it gives
me such a strange feeling."
She enjoys filming for

She enjoys filming for television. She thrives on the sense that she is working flat sense that she is working flat out all day. "It all happens so swiftly, it's quite relentless really. Mind you it was the same on the last cinema film I made, Savage Messiah, when Ken Russell had us working all day and every working all day and every In reality, she admits to a day. When you work like that it's easy to forget the little in the cinema. Film-

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I was terribly self concious. I didn't feel in tune with cameras. It's difficult when you have certain features that are hard to light - they used to say my nose cast a shadow or something."

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you tend to carry on making films."

Life After Death, written but not quite in contact for the time being, especially with sudden death. I don't wolved a month's filming in a cramped house in Hampstead might be for widows who see Garden Suburb. "We didn't rehearse scenes at all. We just did all kinds of improvisations beforehand with various combinations of members of the family. By the bers of the family. By the time we turned up at the house we had all decided that

house was just too small. "It was a pity they had to make about 20 minutes of cuts and that meant taking out a lot of the scenes which showed more of the family. I liked those, though I could see they could be taken out."

Johnny — the man who had

died — was a big man and the

almost documentary treat-ment by Rachel Billington and Anthony Simmons, the director, the problem it presented was how to act a state of shock lasting over the three days of fictional time. "How can you genera-lize about widowhood? In the play she doesn't realize what

makers do not seem to has happened until the very approach her. She has no end. She doesn't connect idea why except "I think if with the people around her you start by making films It must be a feeling of you tend to carry on making amputation, not of being ill films."

bition to which she confesses

— she would like to be an impresario. "I would love to be more adventurous, to bring together some of the talents I know and put on a play. There are some wonderful writers who simply never get performed, like John Whiting — he's loved by actors but not by the public or managements. Some plays are also staged in the wrong way the first time and then As for the subject, and its just vanish. There are many good plays that are just left lying around when the first performance doesn't work. It must be a bitter disappointment for the dramatists. I would like to initiate some rediscovery." And it might

even set a pattern.

Records of the month

Recalled to life

Hilary Finch

Bruckner: Symphony No 2. Staatskapelle Dresden/Jo-Staatskapene Drese chum. EMI ASD 4081. Wolf: Penthesilea/Der Corregidor Suite. Suisse Roman-de/Stein. Decca SXL 6985. Zemlinsky: Lyric Symphony. Berlin PO/Maazel/Varady Fischer-Dieskau. DG 2532

Manzoni: Masse: Omaggio a Edgard Varese/Schoenberg: Chamber Symphony Op 9. Pollini/Berlin PO/Sinopoli.

With eager new year resolve, the major record companies are zealously sprinkling their January and February catalogues with a number of under-recorded works, hitherto neglected with varying degrees of justification. The Dresden Staatskapelle Orchestra, who won high praise when they visited London last autumn, present Leonold last autumn, present Leopold Nowack's edition of the 1877 version of one of Bruckner's least recorded symphonies. It is the quality of the string playing above all that marks playing above all that marks out this performance: its fine-grained, perfectly pro-portioned and discreetly indi-vidual character never draws attention to itself, but, alert to Jochum's gently flexing tempi, breathes the light air, moving with the stringing tread of this "spring" sym-phony. Such is the unity of Jochum's reading that some may even find the Scherzo,

box of songs appeared last year, more of Wolf's other compositions have been ap-pearing on record to redress the balance. The latest is the understandably neglected Varèse for piano and orches-penthesilea, a crudely Wag-nerian symphonic poem dedicated to Maurizio Pollini. Which sounds like a rather second-rate film score for battery of musical idea, the piano fracturing, urging on the content of the Amazon piano fracturing, urging on the content of the Amazon piano fracturing, urging on the content of the Amazon piano fracturing, urging on the content of the Queen's tortured love for Achilles. Horst Stein and his players make a more persuas-ive case for the far more persuasive music from Wolf's only complete opera, Der Corregidor. The light-handed, flirtatious Fandango danced by the Miller's wife, the live current of wind playing in the whirling, balletic Spanish Intermezzo, and the deftly woven veils of string writing in the Nocturne are lively

advocates for wider interest

in the opera itself. "A fine composer, unjustly neglected" was how Helene Berg described Alexander Zemlinsky, colleague of Mahler, teacher of Schoenberg, and champion of the Second Viennese School Last year's Prom performance of the Lyric Symphony, this, its first generally available recording, and the presentation of two of his operas at Edinburgh this year are signs of a wider interest and reassessment. His Lyric Symphony attracts "A fine composer, unjustly His Lyric Symphony attracts His Lyric Symphony attracts comparisons with Mahler, Schoenberg and Wagner in its form, vocal writing and harmonies; yet, from the setting of the first of seven love poems by Tagore, it is a distinctively individual voice and sensibility that speaks out. In its continuous symphonic structure, the voice enters and focuses the shifting phases of its dreamlike ing phases of its dreamlike existence: Zemlinsky's rigorous selection and scaling of orchestral forces, the innate classicism toughening its fevered emotional life, are emphasized by Maazel's hard-

Chamber Symphony, the beatings of its late Romantic heart concentrated into the under-driven, and the much is given an affectionate, reduced code to the finale a sharply detailed performance too easy summation. oo easy summation.

Since the Wolf Society's Philharmonic in a particular of songs appeared last larly illuminating, close digital recording. It provides a rather arbitrary coupling for the first recording of Giacomo Manzoni's Homage to Edgard Varèse for piano and orchestra, composed in 1977 and dedicated to Maurizio Pollini. piano fracturing, urging on and obliquely relating to a cumulative series of stress-points, built from an increasingly predictable inventory of "experimental" instrumental effects. Overheated. yet cold of heart, this nervy yet curiously undisturbing tribute distances rather than engages response, while the perversely obscure printed commentary would provide a good month's supply of Pseuds Corner entries.

Paul Griffiths Forming fours

John Foulds: Quartetto inti-

564. Borodin: String quartets. SXIL 6983. Piano quartets. Mozart: Schubert: String quartets in G minor D173 and B flat D112 Allagii Quartet A D

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112. Allegri Quartet. Argo

EMI SLS 5220 (discs). Only three years old, the Endellion Quartet have al-ready established themselves among the happily full ranks among the happing this ranks of excellent quartets in this country, and their first record brings great satisfaction. It will also bring a revelation to anyone not familiar with the Quartetto intimo of John Foulds, who was born in Manchester just over a century ago and whose music has been all but forgotten since his death in Calcutta in 1939.

Despite its title, the quartet is not at all "intimate" in character but big, crammed edged direction. Fischer-Dieskau's strong, bittersweet singing, and Julia Varady's fine-drawn, malleable hand-ling of the volatile vocal line. with creative vigour and expressive putpose. At times there is a harmonic and rhythmic exuberance that Schoenberg's own early looks forward to Tippett, while the slow movement and even more so the Lento quieto from Fould's next and last quartet, also recorded here — has the confessional intensity of a Mahler adagio. The quartet is altogether a very remarkable work, and one that can even take its great harvest of string quar-tets of the Thirties, those of Bartok, Schoenberg and Bartok, Bridge.

Another young British ensemble, the Fitzwilliam, offer better known repertory in their new pairing of the Borodin quarters, though here too there are qualities of perfect technique, expessive and textural richness, and great confidence that show the music at its very best. The atmosphere of Turkish Delight is well dispelled by these players' tactful presentation of the themes, and both works are very engagingly shown as thoroughly naive in ex-pression, open and full in

Another obvious coupling, mo; Lento quieto; Aquarelles, of Mozart's piano quartets, is Endellion Quartet. Pearl SHE not so wholly beguiling in the of Mozart's piano quartets, is 564.

Borodin: String quartets. Klien and members of the Fitzwilliam Quartet. Decca Amadeus Quartet. The E flat work is very beautifully done, and with smoothness of a kind that rather treasures than conceals the music's many happy ideas. Klien's singing legato is especially valuable here, of course, and perfectly answered by Norbert Brainin's angelic violin. But the Gminor Quartet's difficulties of Form and style have not been completely solved. Too much of it sounds like a concerto, and the string players are prone to react to each moment as it comes rather than let a movement take its course, however erratic that course may be.

> Last year the Amadeus brought out a record of early Schubert, and now the Allegri have done the same, again choosing the astonishing B flat Quartet the composer wrote when he was 17 (and again unaccountably 17 (and again unaccountably relegating it to the second side). But it is good to have two versions so different and so apt. By comparison with the Amadeus's fastidious water-colour, the Allegri's is a dramatic engraving, rougher in feel but with sharp lines and accents that sharp lines and accents that emphasize the work's wideranging, far-reaching character. The G minor piece, though written a year later, is curiously much more conventional in manner, but it is a work worth hearing in the Allegri's taut perform-

> I cannot, however, recommend anyone to invest in the new box of Schubert's choral music. Certainly we need an anthology to include such masterpieces as the Gesang der Geister über den Wassern, but the present selection includes a great number of back-slapping drinking songs and other unlovable trivia, and, worse still, the Bavarian choir seem to think they have been engaged for a camp-fire sing-song. Shading and sensitivity to words are not exactly strong points, while soloists such as Brigitte Fassbaender and Dietrich Fischer-Dieskau seem, understandably, quite out of their element.

William Mann

Stravinsky in toto

Legacy: CBS GM (31 discs). On June 17 the musical world will celebrate the centenary of Igor Stravinsky's birth. From the early 1920s until his death he cultivated the gramophone as a handmaid for his music, and from 1925 his record company was Columbia, whose initial con-tract included the commission for a solo piano work in four movements, each to

coarse-groove record: it emerged as the Serenade in Columbia, or CBS as we call it now, has paid its punctual tribute to the Stravinsky Centenary with these 31 12-inch LP's boxed and with a backlet The content of the columbia.

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d like to initiate some covery." And it might set a pattern.

Bryan Appleyard with a booklet. The very first recordings are rejected in favour of later versions—the Serenade is played, beautifully too, by Charles

Rosen. But here is "Piano and so will their children, I Rag Music" played by Stravinsky, and the Duo Concerton The monumental CBS revinsky, and the Duo Concertant with Szigeti and the issue, lovingly reconstituted, composer. The Concerto for sets a lofty standard for the Two Pianos is in the old centenary jubilations. It performance by Vronsky and comes with a record of Barin.

Stravinsky conducted virtually all his orchestral works for the gramophone, and for CBS, after he moved from Paris to Los Angeles, in modern, mostly stereo, re-cording conditions. A few of his interpretations may have been superseded in recent years, either by superior engineering and production or by some specially eloquent enterpreter. David Atherton and the London Sinfonietta's recent account of Agon is simply more familiar with the music than the composer and the Columbia Symphony Orchestra when the piece was brand new. Yet they surely imbibed Stravinsky's record-

The monumental CBS re-Stravinsky in rehearsal and in interview, Uncle Igor the astonishing exponent of the English language. And elsewhere, in the appropriate spot, is his famous spoken reminiscence of The Rite of Spring, with its unforgettable conclusion: "I was the vessel through which Le sacre

The rehearsal side suffers from a wet American commentator, but gains by innumerable obiter dicta: "the F mentator, but gains by innumerable obiter dicta: "the F is always suspicious", "I am a maker", "I can wait, as an insect can wait"; more enigmatic, "129 right to Budapest"; irresistible, "Excuse me, please, I like my music" imbibed Stravinsky's record— me too, Grandpa, no ing when they were students, excuse required.

Oh what a lovely wanow

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An opera by Faure Penelope is a late work, composed for Monte Carlo, where it was given its premiere in 1913. A few months later the Director of the Paris Conservatoire, composer of songs, piano pieces and other chamber music admired widely, made his debut at the Opera. Penelope remaind in regular repertory at the Palais Garnier until 1949, and still gets performances here or there occasionally (it was given here at the Royal Academy of Music in 1970, and on Radio 3 four years later). For this studio recording Erato moved their soloists to the scene of the première, the other Palais Garnier.

The story is that of Monteverdi's D'Ulisse, treated however with full romantic fervour and post-Wagnerian thematic technique. In many of the solos and duets the music recalls the sound-world of Faure's songs, but the prel-ude and some later orchestral passages suggest French Wagner. As music-drama Penelope moves slowly, but it is a lovely wallow, to which Jessye Norman responds with dignity and tenderness, impassioned in Penelope's longing for Ulysses, here decently taken, some rough tones apart, by Alain Vanzo. Jocelyn Taillon's Euryclea. and the Eumaeus of Jose Van Dam, also stand out. Charles Datiot's reading has real authority, though the stage oblique orchestra balance varies disconcertingly. The illustrated booklet, with tir-lingual text, is full of interest; one small solo role is unidentified.

Of the Pearl reissues, the Tetrazzini box recommends itself, and it included some hitherto unpublished items. Of course there is some duplication of repertory, that is instructive. The Melchior selection chiefly explores his early Wagner records of the 1920s, with a couple of excursions into live performances of the next decade (the very young Flagstad, slender and agile of voice, as Brünnhilde). Young Melchior had the handsomest Heldentenor voice I have ever heard, and its qualities are enjoyed also in items from Verdi's Aida and Otello, and in Canio's "On with the Motley", in German, but not unlikely Teutonic. The transteres are unvarnished, sometimes imperfect, like the

Radio/David Wade

Repeat, repeat, repeat

Scientifically Speaking (Radio Broadbent and his collea-

gues, we learned, have been studying production line workers at a British Leyland the findings but how people could surely tell us what plant to gauge the effects of came to make the "common Broadbent with expense and repetitive work. The com- sense" prediction in the first effort has found out. Of mouseuse prediction here, place. Surely quick and course, self-observation is a apparently, is that repetition simple repetition has a lot to tool scientists look at with in itself — and particularly over a very short cycle — will be psychologically damaging, leading to apathy and de-

Scientifically Speaking (Radio 3) seldom moves into the field of psychology, so the participation last Wednesday of Dr Donald Broadbent of the Oxford University Department of Experimental Psychology promised an interesting half hour. Indeed it was, though perhaps not entirely for the reasons suggested by Dr Broadbent and his interrogator, the programme's regular anchor man, John Maddox.

What emerged is that, while doing the same short task hour after hour is hardly fulfilling, it does seem to be relatively innocuous. A look like machines and it is easy to make assumptions about their inner state, whereas in fact the routine may be claiming only 10 per cent of their attention. A longer cycle on an implacably moving line appears less automatizing, but may claim rather more attention than the worker has little What emerged is that, out the option, that's hell. programme's regular anchor or no control over the rate of rather more attention t man, John Maddox.

or no control over the rate of rather more attention t working: catering, we heard, the worker wants to give. is a notorious example.

about all this is not so much recommend it — for one suspicion. Furthermore, in thing you can carry on a this case the appearances conversation while you are convey a beguiling social and doing it. Or sing. Or day-political message: "Look at dream. But keeping up with- those automatized workers —

If we could just set What I find interesting appearances aside, our own powers of self-observation

this is what our society does to people". Immediately we start to think like that, other If radio pays only intermit-

tent heed to psychology, it may be reflecting the level of public interest, as well as the rather pedestrian state of the science. When it comes to its record in comedy, then the problems are more to do with broadcasting as a whole and the difficulty, in the presence of television, of working up the kind of cult following that makes a hit. A man like Ivor Cutler might just do it though on a small scale — but I doubt if Radio 4's Legal, Decent, Honest and Truthful is heading for sound broad-casting history.

It has its moments, most of them in the spoof commer-cials which Jon Canter has provided as a kind of chorus

to the action; and then there is Martin Jarvis's delightfully throw-away performance as our struggling adman. But the setting lets things down: advertising offers such a plump and rewarding target; by presenting us with the obso-comic doings of a small, shambolic agency which anyone can see will never make the third division, let alone the influential first, scriptwriter Guy Jenkin has not so much missed his mark as omitted to aim at it. Radio 2's The London

Palladium Story on the other hand knew just what it was aiming at and hit it. Michael Pointon's script combined famous songs with famous reminiscences to make this eight-part history a lovely easy listen. It even survived Max Bygraves reading the links as if he had never seen

Television/Dennis Hackett

The watchers watched

As a television critic Sylvia Clayton, who writes for the happen) on the World at fulcrum of the play.

Daily Telegraph, knows too Work, "the state of the job A sinister prowell what a preview is about: situation from the dawn of small gatherings of proman to the present day"—apprehension among the disturbed trio, it is found that Val has had a stroke, gloomy theatres, with more description that reinforces. gloomy theatres, with more description that reinforces or less sated appetites, more foreboding. foreboding than anticipation. and ready to be unthankful for what they are about to

In such a gathering, Miss Clayton, already a novelist, set the scene of her first play, Preview, on BBC2 last night, a piece of phantasmagoria from which you could Emily the chic woman from their relationship with Val: take what you would but radio

from a provincial paper, keen-eyed for an early grave to mount his ambition on; Babs, a busy little sagging body, all thermos and cold take what you would but radio (dramatic licence Harry's predatory, Babs's A very gripping debut by which remained compelling there); and Val, an ageing, maternal Emily's that of a Miss Clayton, owing some talented man, known to all, little girl who sees in him debt to a brilliant piece of see a four-hour documentary bottles. Val, who comes last father and who attacks him Bunuel might have nodded

(don't think that couldn't and falls asleep early, is the in the last scene with her approvingly, by Jon Amiel.

Rosemary Hill produced and

when the pictures go up the three wakeful critics see not They are an odd lot, which is normal. There is Harry, as guests of Val at a stately home party. Unnaturally, they have to watch. The following symbol-laden images — effective in black and white - portray germs, from a radical sheet; facets of their perception of

arrives with the documentary, which is all too much for Babs who cannot take any more television that day. You know the feeling. The others settle down to watch.

the cast - Anton Rodgers, Anna Cropper, Cheric Lunghi, Will Knightly and Bill Wallis — took realism and surrealism easily in their ished, the police and ambustride. lance men take over and Val. dead by this time, is removed

> Don Giovanni and one per-formance of Il barbiere di Siviglia at the festival next

The real projectionist Jane Glover has been arrives with the documentary which is all too much Glyndebourne Touring Opera, with effect from January 1982, for an initial period of three years. She will continue as chorus director ar Glyndebourne, and will conduct six performances of

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This startling revisionism in modernist America of Landseer's art has been achieved — or attempted — in partnership with the Tate Gallery in London. On February 10 the Tate is to remount the Landseer show, perhaps in the hope that Queen Victoria's favourite painter — "my Edwin" — will be returned to his

former glory.
Perhaps he will. In the mid-1950s Sir Herbert Read with Philip Hendy, then director of the National Gallery, and Sir John Rothenstein, then director of

Museum quoting with ap-proval the words of Theo-phile Gautier: "Of what does grant aristocrats of Philadelthe hunting dog dream near the hearth, the stag raising to the sky its black and glossy Masters: the nouveau riche muzzle from which drip barons of Chicago bought strands of saliva? Landseer French. The rich British will tell you in four strokes immigrants came to America of his brush. He is on prizing their eighteenth cenintimate terms with beasts: tury English silver, furniture the dog, giving him a shake of the paw like a comrade, they left Landseer and his tells him the news of the kennel; the sheep, blinking its pale eyes, bleats out its imporent complaints to him. imocent complaints to him; prints made of his paintings the stag, which like a woman has the gift of tears, comes to weep on his breast over the cruelty of man..."

Anterica information the prints made of his paintings in the nineteenth century.

But the legacy of Landseer in modern America led only to advertisements and greeting

May I, as they say in America, be totally frank? take nothing against tearful stags, bleating sheep, or talking dogs. Or, indeed, against paintings of talking dogs, and the like. I will even concede that the companionship of a dog — "first to
mischievous) way that Landwelcome, foremost to de-fend" — may on occasion be preferable to that of human beings such as one's wife and children on a bad day. However, after viewing can-vas upon canvas of Sir Edwin

major British artist's work."

And here is Mr Joseph the resurrection of this most Rishel of the Philadelphia English of artists should first phia plundered the Italian Renaissance and the Old

> advertisements and greeting card art. The image of his famous stag painting "Monarch of the Glen" was made famous in America by its use in advertisements for Dewar whisky. Indeed, Mr Rishel of the Philadelphia Museum seer's noble stag became a Walt Disney prototype when, emerging from a forest fire, the stag saved Bambi's life. Thus, Landseer's "Monarch of the Glen" became Bambi's

father in disguise.

minor animal genre but a "great comic drama", a "spiritualism and grandeur", a "romantic visionary" influencing among others Phillipe Rousseau and Corbet. Even the critical Robert Hughes links the misty crags and glens of Landseer's highlands to the northern European romanticism of Caspar Friedrich. And, to be sure, one cannot view this monumental Landseer show with-out at least being struck by the agonized spirit that created some of the last bleak

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But by then, Landseer was virtually insane. 'Flogging' would be mild compared to my suffering," he wrote to his sister. Though he had his first mental breakdown in his thirties, he held on to his sentimentalized animal kingdom as the doomed Lord Sebastian of Brideshead clung to his teddy bear, Aloysius When, aged 50, he visited Chatsworth, he was overwhelmed by the great works of art he saw there. He wrote that he felt like "a horrid imposter". Yet on the day of his

funeral, flags flew at half mask, his renowned lions in Trafalgar square were draped with wreaths, and crowds lined the streets as the funeral cortege moved towards St Paul's, where he was buried. I dare say that crowds will soon be lining the streets outside the Tate as, up to a point, they were in Philadelphia. Don't take the Tate, condemned Land- Landseer's canine allegories, Mr Rishel, through his my word for anything seer to international oblivion. I am not prepared to concede special relationship with the except, perhaps, cave canen. my word for anything -

Bridge/Jeremy Flint

Taking trouble

Carlyle defines genius as started with \$\cap 08 7. Profiting the transcendent capacity of from his previous unhappy taking trouble": that may be experience, South cashed his remaining high heart and eliminated the clubs before the assisting hides. line for the aspiring bridge putting West on play with his player. The hands I shall winning trump. When West only the ability to focus the could not avoid losing a mind on the player. mind on the critical points spade. and the avoidance of careless that I couldn't make that contract", said South com-Rubber bridge. Game all. Dealer North. placently.

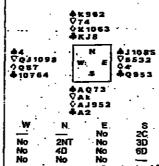
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South made a fortunate choice when he jumped to 5 Diamonds over his partner's strong no trump opening. "Might have missed it, partner" he said gleefully, as he ruffed West's &K. He drew the enemy trumps in one round and continued with a heart to dummy's V9 which lost to East's VJ. East got off play with a spade. As South ruffed he imparted the glad tidings that they had not missed it after all. When the finesse of the VO lost to West's VK, South bemoaned the cruel injustice of finding both heart honours badly

"A pity we weren't in six", said North cryptically, "then the extra 100 would be a small price to pay for the consolation that you had played the hand correctly. As it was you missed a baby elimination play. Ruff the elimination play. Ruff the first trick, cross to dummy with a trump, ruff a second spade. Re-enter dummy with a second trump and ruff dummy's last spade. Then play three rounds of clubs. Regardless of the heart distribution, if East wins the VJ he will be end played, with a choice of conceding a ruff and diseard or playing a ruff and discard or playing a heart up to dummy's heart up to tenace".

placed.

South had another chance on the next hand. Rubber bridge. Game all. Dealer East.



"After misguessing the diamonds you will agree

"Not only could, but should", North replied un-kindly. "If the spades are kindly. "If the spades are divided three-two the hand is a laydown. Your problem was to provide for the possible four-one break. If you had cashed the A before putting West on play, he would have had no spade to lead. If West had had the four spades, he would have been forced to open the suit to your advan-

tage."
Once more, the cards forgave. Rubber bridge. Game all Dealer South.

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"Thank you, partner, seven's on a finesse", South said as North put down his hand. He won the first trick with dummy's VA, discarding a club, and immediately finessed the 4Q, which won. South opened his mouth to speak. "Just make six", said North through gritted teeth. East covered dummy's #J with the #K and West ruffed South's A. West switched to a trump.

It dawned on South too late that there were now only two trumps in dummy to ruff his three losing spades. In the vain hope that the clubs would divide three-three, he cashed the AA and ruffed a club. He returned to dummy with a trump. The third round of clubs revealed that there was to be no salvation from that suit.

'Don't tell me I could have made that contract", he pleaded pitifully. "Evidently you could not."

Thank goodness", said South, considerably con-soled "That is to say", North continued, "an unambitious player who was content to make his contract without an overtrick could have succeeded. Such a player would have withheld his AA on the second round of the suit, and subsequently ruffed his two losing spades in dummy. But Two rounds of trumps the fire of your noble revealed that West had optimism is unquenchable"

Mid season ski report

Scorpians/Harold Evans Readers' reports

piste.' I did. 'Oh, they won't be any good on ice'. They were. 'Oh, you won't be able to keep up'. I do, and sometimes I even

the piste.
"My only complaint, though

small, is that they are hopeless on the flat or walking up slopes off the piste in deep snow because then your heels drop in at the back. John Bull, 25 Greville Road, Southampton Hampshire:

"Two of our party could be described as stalled intermediates and we tried a pair of Scorpian short skis at Meribel last week short skis at Meribel last week (January 9 to 16). One is 24 and 1 am 46. We've both had some years' experience, having reached the point, probably through fear, where any improvement would mean lots of lessons and a long, hard slog. We were delighted to find that the 106 cm Scorpions gave us the same wonderful release as the Velocki. After a couple of runs, Veloski. After a couple of runs, heavy mogul fields and gun barrels were a piece of cake."

Robert Turner, 2 Dr Johnson's Buildings, London EC4Y 7AY "Scorpians have transformed my skiing. After 20 years I had, at 46, become a little frightened of some aspects. In particular I was finding the steeper slopes more difficult and as a barrister. I worried that serious injury might prevent my carrying on my practice. The Scorpians lived up practice. The Scorpians I was able to turn to their claims. I was able to turn with ease in conditions and on slopes which I would not have attempted before. The French observed them with amusement but I think I 'sold' at least half a dozen mairs to interested English.

dozen pairs to interested English dozen pairs to interested English people."

Mr J. G. Spence, East Anglian Magazine, 6 Great Colman Street, 1 pswitch, who passed his SCGB bronze test 20 years ago at the age of 42. He adds rightly, that the price of the skis at £79 does not include bindings, and that many bindings with brakes will not fit the Scorpian because it is a wide ski. He is trying a pair of Salomon 626s (£39.50).

"Remember standing at the top of a red run, such as the

Four weeks ago in The Times
I recommended the revolutionary new ski, the Scorpian, a broad 106 cm ski with positive carving arc. I invited anyone with experience of anyone with experience of most broken by humps, bumps and modering how our carry you were going to get down anyone with experience of most frightening shi there are most frightening shi there the anyone with experience of the Scorpian to write in since the snobbery of skiing, and certainly the attitude in the resorts, discourages anything as short as the new Scorpian which is not merely a training ski but a ski for all grades, weights and ages.

The response has been heavily favourable. Because the Scorpian is new few people have had a chance to try it. But the testimony so far is five to one in favour.

In with Scorpian skis there are no problems. The fall line demonstration on problems. The fall line demonstration on problems. The fall line demonstration of the fall line demonstration. Time and again I would tone unfail in past years I would tone "Disadvantages? Going up in a "

rom

Cumbria:

"At 50, and with a suspect raine knee, I was able to ski for only two or three hours a day or standard skis. With Scorpian skis are life savers. My husband was very rude about them and so were our great friends with whom we always stay in Gstaad. 'Oh; they said, 'you won't be able to go off the piste.' I did. 'Oh, they won't be any good on ice'. They were. 'Oh ou won't be able to be any good on ice'. They were.'

overtake them.

"The ski guides are all rude about them but I go everywhere with them and I am now completely fearless, on and off the piste.

The two critical letters but raised similar medical queries. The British Ambassadar in the piste. "I tried the Scorpians on the local downhill slope, a fairly local downhill slope, a finite gentle affair about 600 menes long. I had not done any downhill sking in about 10 years and though I found the Scorphing easy to turn, I had a lot difficulty in keeping them straight on the hard surface, and several times developed what, in a car, would be described as wheel would.

After half a dozen runs I ben't up and went back to cross-o ry sking. In the next two or three days I had cramps in the back of one leg, which after a game of squash, developed into a full-scale slipped disc which long me in bed for six weeks.

"It would be unfair to blame the Scorpians alone for this, but I am sure they contributed in it.
It took me six months to get over
the slipped disc and I have not
dared to try the Scorpians since. dared to try the Scorpians since, but am happly back on my two-metre ordinarily downhill six. Since you commend the Scorpians for middle-aged skiers (I am 52) I think that the agents should either warn of this potential difficulty or devise a set of exercises for the muscles in the lower back to forestall the sort of troubles to which the middle-aged are prone when they go in for such violent sports. "

Gina Hathorne of Scorpian onunents: "We have checked Mr Stuart's observations with an orthopaedic surgeou who uses Scorpian skis and he says he doubts very much whether the injury described is due to the One has to take note of the

course, to be quite sure what causes some injuries. I hope more skiers will write to me of their experiences one way or another so that The Times can keep its readers up to date with the Scorpian. But L know that if I get away this

Collectors' Diary/Geraldine Norman Printed in Britain

The exhibition "Wiliam Blake cases such as Blake and to David Hockney: A Private Hockney the cost runs into Collection of British Prints", which opens at the Ashmohave picked a field where lean Museum, Oxford, on there is no other serious February 5, is a celebration private collector—though a of what a private collector lot of people buy good can still achieve in today's British prints for decoration. art market, despite insti
The Ashmolean is a particular the serious contact the contact the serious private the contact the tutions and investors chasing larly suitable venue since the prices to dotty levels.

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The secret, according to Robert Loder, who formed the collection, is to pick the right field. Loder is a man of middle age and middle wealth

— but far from middling in acquiring fine imdynamism or single-mindedness. He describes himself as

Adrian Eeles and William a farmer and businessman, but it is only fair to say he is

genius of the British for rather nineteenth-century printmaking over the past way Loder wishes to influachievements of their prede

cessors. The tradition of printmaking is traced from Blake, whom Loder regards as a founding father, his followers such as Palmer and Calvert; the Norwich school (Chrome, Stannard); a whiff Pre-Raphaelites; of the Pre-Raphaelites; a touch of Whistler; a rare group of Vorticists (Wadsworth, Roberts, Bomberg); the book illustrators of the 1920s and 1930s (Gill, David Jones), through to Hockney Others are touched on and a few printmakers left.

museum has been attempting to form a similar collection, with stronger holdings in some fields but less distinguished in others.

Weston, two of London's best dealers. He has also expenda very good businessman.

He has achieved something remarkable with his collection, begun only in 1971. He defined to the whole must be more has spotted the particular important than its parts. In a printmaking over the past way Loder wishes to influ-200 years and set himself the ence and improve the viewer. task of demonstrating it to a More of the collection will be wider public. He hopes to shown at the Fitzwilliam impress connoisseurs and to Museum, Cambridge, in 1985, stimulate contemporary art- and Loder wants the exhi-ists by showing them the bition to travel. He is open to

British prints are in good supply fairly cheaply. Any collector fired by Loder's example should not have too much difficulty in doing likewise.

☐ I have received a sheaf of ingenious suggestions to explain the design of the Hockney. Others are touched ure exerted, making the on and a few printmakers left chest portion sink to form a out because Loder does not chair-shaped convenience.



The Gull, by Robert Gibbings: good impressions count.

spectively. More ingenious is disguise. the suggestion that the piece is not complete in itself; the space within the rather ill-proportioned legs was originally used to store some-street, Belgravia, before

furniture. It was the custom in larger country houses to

"gents" and "ladies" re- had "withdrawn". Hence the

certain of visiting Motcomb Street, Belgravia, before February 9. The touring thing useful such as the February 9. The touring folding steps that were once exhibition organized by the common use for climbing Bolton Museum, including 1200 decreases and reserve common use for climbing Bolton Museum, including into a four-poster bed.

Another reader suggests that it was a piece of dining room rather than bedroom Across the road, Christopher West and Christopher West Wood, the dealer specializing in nineteenth-century paintlike them.

The "up" and "down" have chamber pots in the ing, is showing another 30 or Many of the prints cost positions are explained by dining room for use by the so paintings and water-Loder as little as £50, but in several readers as suited to gentleman once the ladies colours for sale.

Chess/Harry Golombek

Sons and players

From quite a number of Capablanca and Alekhine, to eighteenth with 2,590, an anecdotes about the way in mention them in chronologi- advance of 10 points over last which Joseph Haydn praised cal order. I would be hard mozart I particularly relish put to it to determine which is Tony Miles who, with Mozart I particularly relish the occasion on which the the occasion on which the was indeed the greatest.

Such matters are much another British grandmaster when we have the Elo rating advance is Tony Miles who, with 2,575, is joint twenty-seventh; another British grandmaster who has made a marked when we have the Elo rating advance is Tony Miles who, with 2,575, is joint twenty-seventh; another British grandmaster who has made a marked when we have the Elo rating advance is Tony Miles who, with viola. Addressing the audience, which consisted of Mozart's father, Leopold, Haydn said: "I swear to you January 1 of this year. In it before God that I consider the world champion, Anatoly your son to be the greatest Karpov, was astronomically composer I know."

I wonder, if I were adpoints. He had advanced by dressing Bobby Fischer's father, whether I would say list that was published on something similar about his July 1 1981. Viktor Korchnoi, offspring? The question as to whether Bobby Fischer was published on who was second then with the greatest chess player of place with 2,645 points and all time was much debated in now the young Dutch grandthe early 1970s before and master, Jan Timman, is after he won the world second with 2,655. championship in 1972. Harry Kasparov, who is 18,

the Austri

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Interzonal at Majorca which the previous list. Next come Fischer won so resoundingly Lajos Portisch (Hungary) in 1970. He had won it with 2,630; Boris Spassky (USSR) the terrific score of 18½ 2,625; Robert Hubner (West points out of 23, no fewer Germany) 2,620; Alexander than 3½ points ahead of the Beljavsky (USSR) and Henrisecond-placed grandmasters, que Mecking (Brazil) 2,615. It Geller, Hubner and Larsen, should however be observed, and it was then that Dr Euwe alas, that Mecking is still said to me he thought seriously ill in hospital. Fischer was the greatest

But then, seeing by my dublous expression that I did not wholly agree, he added "Well, perhaps Paul Morphy". I was not in fact thinking of Morphy. I had in mind the great 18th century French player, Philidor, whose remarkable ideas about pawn play were about 200 years in advance of his time. Then, too, I had afterthoughts about such british player, grandmaster chess geniuses as Lasker, John Nunn, who is joint

when we have the Elo rating advance is Jonathan Speel-system to guide us. Only a man, who is joint thirty-fifth week ago I received the FIDE with 2,550 points, 15 more rating list that was valid from than last time. first once again with 2,720

championship in 1972.

I remember discussing the matter with the late Dr Euwe position but, with 2,640 on the final day of the points, has 10 more than in

Some famous names have 2,605: Ulf Andersson

The January issue of Schakend Nederland, the Dutch national chess magazine, is largely devoted to commemorating Dr Euwe, who died at the age of 80 on November 26 last year. In it the international master Hans Bouwmeester, himself a fine player and an excellent teacher of chess, has some pertinent and touching things to say about the great man and he gives the last game Euwe played, which was in a club match in which he played for Volmac Rotterdam against Eindhoven shortly before his eightieth birthday. White: R. Moonen Black:

Dr M. Euwe Q. P. Veresov system. A somewhat tame continu-

ation; more aggressive was 4.P-B3 with the idea of an eventual P-K4 (after BxN).

A rather peculiar way of recapturing; better 6.QxB. 6 7 Q-N3 8 N-B3 9 0-0-10 K9-Q1

Otherwise Black captures the QP and gives White doubled and isolated pawns. NxN N-Q2 QxB P-B3

Or 14.P-Q4,P-B5;15.Q-B2,P-QR3; 16.P-K4,PxP;17 QxP,P-QN4;18.N-Q6,N-N3;

And not 19....QxBP;20.R K1 when White can eventu ally play R-K7 with as overwhelming game. 20 P-QR4

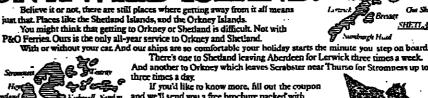
Here preferable was 20.R-K1,QxP;21.QxQ,RxQ;22.QR-Q1 with some defensive 21 O-B3

If 2S.R-R6,P-B5: Not now 25...P-B5; because 26.R-K1,PxP;27.Q-N7,R-

KN1;28.R-K8 and White wins 26 Q-N7 27 Q-K87 28 Q-N6 29 R(Q1)-R1 30 R(R1)-R4 R(05)-01 0xP 0-N8 ch

31 R-KN4 32 K-R2 33 Q-87 0zP 0-03 ch 0-85 R-07 34 R-N3 37 Ox0 resigns. Since after 38.Q-N8 R-N1 White has exchange off the Queen for

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Apres ski in Vail is a parade

a very swanky parade
indeed. Fast cars, or any other kind, are banned from the centre of town, so it is furs, expensive hairdos and designer accessories that go window shopping. And what shopping there is. For the wealthy with non-skiing partners this must be one of the world's most attractive resorts.
Among skiers it is famous

for the Back Bowls. Tracts of deep powder snow untouched by piste machines. Colorado powder was what I went there for last winter, but alas enough arrived only later in the season. But I did enjoy the other feature of Vail's skiing, mile upon mile of what are always described as what are always described as flattering runs. What this means is that the snow has been so well groomed that less than expert skiers can less them stylishly and safely. And that, of course, was a thoroughly enjoyable egotin

trip.
Vail is a purpose-built resort with Tyrolean village style architecture in the centre, and assorted modern buildings at the edges. It has so many restaurants that the Vail Epicure, a by no means comprehensive book of factimile menus, runs to 58 pages. Bars, discos and beauty salons abound. There are even two baby sitter services, one called Bratskeller, in addition to hotel babysitting arrangements.

CISCOUNTS

Thomas Cook offers the biggest discount this week, a whacking £333 off a 25-day tour of Australia. The price of this holiday, which takes in Sydney, Brisbane. Melbabysitting arrangements. Reef, is now £1,226. Departures are on March 20 and 27 babysitting arrangements.

Latest

S.C.P.

Vail is 100 miles from tures are on Ma Denver on the Interstate 70 from Heathrow. highway. Neilson's Rocky Mountain Ski Dream brochure offers a two-week package with flights and accommodation in the luxur-is the E435 deal available at Thomson Holidays has special offers on faraway ious Mark Marriot Resort the Casuarina Beach Club Hotel for £489. This is priced on four people sharing one large room with two double beds. Having stayed at this hotel I can say that the rooms are big enough for four good friends to nest in without tripping over each other but the privacy prob. ductions of £35 on selected other, but the privacy prob-Italian and French ski hollems are obvious. The sup-plement for two people sharing is £10 each per night. idays booked in February. Smaller discounts are available on a number of the Shadows, one of the best discos in town, is in the city breaks.

Before you get to the Mediterranean

you're aiready in the South:

namely, in

Southern Switzerland

where Swiss service and security rule

where mountain trails and railways lead to incomparable views and gastronomy and hospitality are writ large

where cruise boats put into typical old fishing villages and the warm lake entices to swimming, wind surfing, sailing, where art lovers fullfil their expectations and leisure seekers can saunter in flower-filled parks,

but where also the pulse of life beats strong That's

Spring hazards/Alastair Brett

Danger: weather ahead

Every year choosing a skiing nusery slopes — can be holiday becomes more difficult as the number of tour conditions in the Alps this operators and brochures year are unlikely to be as bad increases and the lure of late as they were in Italy last season discounts encourages year, although some Italian last-minute booking. But for rsorts such as Selva, Aprica and Bormio have already beginners — the perils and pitfalls of choosing a holiday conditions. Late season late in the season may not be bookers are therefore well immediately apparent from advised to check with the brochures advertising tour operator, preferably in mountains of snow and miles writing, that there is at least of sun-drenched piste.

50-100cm of snow on the

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The first problem is that the higher and more popular resorts, ideal for beginners, such as Les Arcs and La Plagne may be fully booked in February and March, limiting the choice to lower lying Austrian or Italian resorts. But it is these cheaper, smaller resorts, where the skiing is between 2,500 and 6,000 feet, that the trouble can start By the end 2,500 and 6,000 feet, that the people if necessary, to antrouble can start. By the end other resort where skiing most attractive to beginners of March and in early April and tuition is possible. Operthe lower slopes — very often ators' attitudes to this vary slopes by late March.

Ingham's brochures contain warnings that — in spite of their self-proclaimed expertise and success as tour "financial strength to guarantee" the holidays they arrange — they cannot be held responsible if skiing is "poor or non-existent" due

borne by the customer. The trick is to try and define what "unusual weather conditions" are. But, as experts, the tour operators decide the length of their season and must know that low lying resorts such as Niederau and Oberau, Westendorf and others — very often the least expensive and

Thomas before most other operators Having just returned to the sports business. Cooks are anxious to estab-lish good relations with their to unusual weather con-lish good relations with their ditions. The cost of transport customers. However, they do to neighbouring resort where fly customers to the higher sking is possible is therefore French and Swiss resorts until the middle of April.

Neilsons, who do a number of holidays to Austrian resorts, give a snow guaran-tee. This means that if half out of operation, Neilsons will either bus customers free of charge to adjacent resorts or rearrange the holiday alto-gether. Although this is not a complete protection for those right direction.

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Courchevel, France	7/14s/c	Holiday Villas	£119/152	£30/38	Feb 6
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Meribel, France	71/b	Supertravel .	£199	£35	Feb6
Verbier Switzerland	7 f/b	Supertravel	£174 ·	£35	Feb 6
Meribel .	7 s/c	Ski West .	£99 .	£51	Feb 6
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Verbier Switzerland	7 s/c	Ski West	£109 .	082	Feb 6
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Courmayeur	7 h/b	Thomas Cook	£159	. £30	Feb 6
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Plagne/Mike Howe

French efficiency

Plagne Bellecôte in December, and I am happy to record a first-class pass. The snow was, and usually

is, feet deep at the entrances to architect Michel Besancon's apartment buildings in the five "villages" which comprise the Plagne complex—the first of the specially designed French ski stations, which is marking its resentwhich is marking its twenti-eth anniversary this season. Plagne Bellecote is one of Plagne Bellecôte is one of four self-contained units grouped around the fifth and main village of La Plagne and connected by a network of lifts and cable cars, all located to eliminate the irritating and tiring bugbear of all skiers — walking.

You can usually slide on to drag lift little more than 100 yards from your bed and bath. Your feet need hardly touch the snow all day, and it is almost as easy to ski to your apartment for lunch as to the many restaurants.

If you want to take functionalism and enthusiasm to extremes you can drive to Plagne Bellecote, park in its underground car park, take your luggage to your apartment by trolley and be on skis on the uphill side of the building in 40 minutes. It is one of the better resorts to approach by car. The Haut Savoie is much closer than Switzerland, Italy or Austria. The authorities say the road to Plagne has not been closed by weather or avalanche for ten years. And with ferry rates lower in winter and the likelihood of

both, taking your own car is well worth considering. The planners seem to have avoided most of the obvious mistakes. Wooden cladding disguises the necessary concrete, and the layout utilizes the humanizing effect of snow-covered pine forests. As the area develops happily more slowly now — the trend seems to be towards a more human atmosphere, without sacrific-ing the functional modernity

chaos at Gatwick, Geneva, or

of the original purpose-built I mention the pace of development, because in the

Funds for development have dried up in the recession and resorts such as
Plague are suffering cash-

flow problems — again a good thing for skiers; it means prices are likely to be held down and France will remain good value. Nothing can disguise the

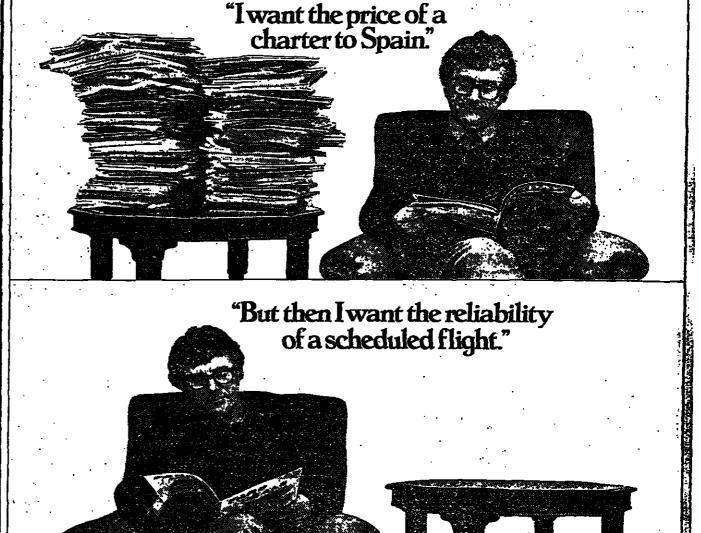
fact that these are villages for skiers. If you are not a skier, don't expect the diversions of a long-established resort like Zermatt or St Moritz. However, the needs of a non-skiing mem-ber of a family are not neglected. Each of the five units houses what is virtually a small town under one or two roofs. At Plagne Belleote, for instance, there are shops, restaurants, bars, boutiques, hairdressers and a supermarket, as well as a cinema and an outdoor, heated swimming pool.

Plagne is usually classified as an area for intermediate skiers. However, while it has an abundance of safe slopes for beginners, intermediates and "motorway" skiers, the area is so vast that there are plenty of runs for all stan-dards, especially if you take in the neighbouring valley of Champagny. Seven of the 100 runs are classified black, starting at 10,600 feet on the Bellecote glacier, and including some lovely runs through pine trees.

This brings me back to the opening sentence. My accident happened off piste in deep snow, when I was distracted by the beauty of the snow-laden conifers.

And here we get back to functional ski resorts. After skiing home in the mistaken belief that I had only pulled a muscle, my leg was gently handled in the medical centre at Plagne, X-rayed and put in a full-length plaster within two hours of my fall. With my X-ray and a note for a London doctor I was loaded on the church hus back to my on the shuttle bus back to my apartment.

Those horror stories about the cost of such incidents are not justified in this case. The charge was 380 francs, plus plaster and pain killers — a total of less tha £50 reclaimable from privare insurers or by using DHSS form 1-11.



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Ms M & S makes her mark

Next week in London there will be an exhibition of modern graphics destined for some of the country's top boardrooms. The prints, which include Hockneys, Nolans, Sutherlands, Caulfields, will be for sale but one company that will not be buying is Marks and Spencer — not because the chairman has no eye for art, but because the exhibitor is his wife.

It is a point that has to be made immediately because Lily Sieff has no intention of succeeding by hanging on to an M & S anorak string. Like many women who have spent 19 years being a wife and 17 being a mother, she has reached the stage where she needs to create an identikit of her future. Like many women she has capitalized on an untrained talent. But, unlike most women whose husbands head multimillion pound empires, she is determined to do it alone.

She could probably have gone out one day with "Art Gallery" on her shopping list and come back with the ICA, but instead she turned one of the rooms in her London flat into an office, hind and she turned one of the rooms in her London flat into an office, hired a gallery for a formight and put on show the sort of modern art she thought business-men should be hanging on their office walls.

That was two years ago. The commissions began to roll in and the exhibition is now an annual event — open to private buyers as well as to companies and corporations, but with the main aim of encouraging businessmen to support the arts and at the same time to provide a pleasant working environment for their

"People spend so much of their time in offices, why shouldn't they have something more inter-esting than a calendar to look at?" asks Lady Sieff in her attractive husky voice.

"Most people don't get the chance to see a lot of modern art — the best that offices provide are traditional lithographs of London scenes and yet the office is such an ideal place to show modern art — just living with it helps the eye to get used to it and automatically more interest is



Lady Sieff with one of her original prints by Henry Moore.

generated. It's also an encouragement to the younger and less established artists.'

She breaks off with an apologetic smile — "I'm sorry, I'm beginning to sound like a missionary, but I do get very serious about it. It is not something I am playing at."

She answered the accusation before it was made, not because she is practised at fending off awkward questions, for she rarely gives interviews, but because in addition to elegance, warmth, humour and disarming self-doubt, she has an ability to tune her instinct with the sudden clarity of a radio reaching precisely the right point on the wave band. She is well aware that it would be convenient to label (and so dismiss her) as a wife at the top with an easy option on

In fact her life has not been plain sailing at all. Born in Poland, she was nine when war broke out and her father, not believing the rumours of disaster,

had rejected the possibility of leaving the country and had simply evacuated to a smaller village. Fortunately this was near the border, so when the Germans did march in, the family was able to escape at night into Remania.

They made their way to Palestine, where Lily went to school before studying economics and political science at Geneva University. Her interest in art began when she spent six months in Florence studying the Renaissance and adding another language to her repertoire — she now speaks six. It was the first of a series of art courses which she has taken at every opportunity

Her first marriage took her to Canada, but by the time she was 28 she was widowed and after travelling aimlessly for a while, he came to London, found a job in the economics department of the Israeli Embassy — and at a charity dinner was introduced to Marcus Sieff, then simply a director of Marks and Spencer.

His special responsibility was for the development of the food side

"It is still his baby to this day", says Lady Sieff. "Every weekend I get a box from the office with new lines of food which we both try for taste and quality and I have to make comments: I wouldn't say he consults me about business, but we do talk about it a lot. Family comes second and you have to learn to live with it — but business is so interesting I don't really mind."

The interest works both ways. Lord Sieff does not involve himself in his wife's businesss venture but he is sufficiently fascinated by the mechanics of successful trading that he telephones her every now and then just to ask whether she has had any orders that day.

She, however, in spite of her desire for the satisfaction to be found in a career of her own, would not hesitate to put family first if a choice had to be made.

'I am women's lib up to a point' she says, "but if you are married and your husband tries to hold you back, you can't really enjoy what you are doing — so to that extent you can't help being subservient to men. I am just very lucky that my husband encourages me and actually wants me to achieve something on my own.'

That is not so simple as it might seem for a woman who travels widely with her husband, but she turns that to her advantage by taking the oppor-tunity to seek out international sources of prints. She also gives a good deal of her free time to the charity WIZO, the non-political Women's International Zionist Organization founded 60 years ago by her mother-in-law, Rebecca Sieff, to support de-prived women and children in

Rebecca was a vehement suf-fragette and campaigner for women, so it does seem curious that her son has not yet seen fit

to appoint a woman to the board of his company.

Lady Sieff gives a small sigh of resignation. "We argue about it resignation. We argue about the but he says he will only appoint a woman if she is of the right calibre, not just so that he can be seen to have done "the right thing", and so far he hasn't found the qualities he is looking for."

At least there is no doubt about her own achievement. Among her commissions have been the CBI, the National Westminster Bank, the Bankers Trust and many smaller companies. She visits their offices, discusses their preferences and puts together a

collection for their approval.

She has a list of 89 artists whose limited edition prints are available through her company L.S. Graphics. Prices range from £25 up and, apart from world famous names, include several others worth noting — Chloe Cheese at about £60, Brendon Neiland and Terry Willson at about £100, Howard Hodgkin at slightly more.

'It is every collector's dream to back an unknown artist and help to develop them, but I am not in the business of selling investments. I want people to buy art to enjoy and if it turns out to be worth more eventually, so much the better."

The exhibition at the Alpine

Gallery, 74 South Audley Street, London W1 is open from February 2 to 13 from 10 am to 5 pm (Saturdays to 1 pm) telephone 01-629 2280.



Above: Hand-woven waistcoat amber, gold, coffee and beige wool with blended yarns and a textured "frayed" yoke. From a selection by Nicolette and Linda Hutson, £85 at Living Art, 35 Kenway Road.

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Hand-woven tapestry clothes often look as if they had been designed by the sheep. But a couple of weeks ago two young weavers walked into my office wearing waistcoats that were heaviful and original enough to eautiful and original enough to hang in a gallery.

They were woven with soft

1920s yarns, one interspersed with metal thread and textured with satin and taffeta and the other with velvet and chenille. Both were in black, but their inventors then began to produce out of a bag a technicolour assortment of dreamcoats in ambers and golds, lilacs and pinks, misty greens and blues.

Nicolette and Linda Hutson, who came to this country from America six years ago, are producing the highest quality work in their chosen craft. They dye their own yarns when they can't find exactly the colours they need and one of their Rya technique which produces an effect like feathered ruffles.

Next Saturday an exhibition of their work opens at Living Art, 35 Kenway Road, SW5 - a centre which is becoming known for fostering the talents of up and coming craft designers. The exhibition will last until February 20 and is open Tuesdays to Fridays 1.30-6.30 pm, Saturdays 10 am to 4 pm. Telephone 01-370

Apart from the waistcoats, Nicolette and Linda make bags and cushions and will design will hangings to complement individual decors. The waistcoats can be made to order in any colours to go with a favourite skirt or blouse — delivery is about three weeks and prices are from about £85. For more details contact the Hutsons at 7 Holly Bank, 9 Oxford Pisce, Manchester M14 5SE, telephone

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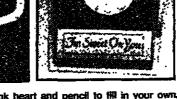
In the Great follow

Love me, love my jokes seems to be the theme for Valentine's Day this year. The wild, extravagant gesture is out — unless it happens to be somewhat rude — and the mood of the moment is definitely Ken Dodd rather than

There is the present that "costs a mint" — a small perspex box containing a Polo, 99p (55p p&p) - and something to get you in a lather — Lovers Shampoo at £1.60 (35p p&p). For those who want to live dangerously — heart-shaped soap and sponge labelled "Darling Let's get into Hot Water Together" £2.70 (70p p&p) and for incurable drinkers an I Love You mug with a pencil attached so that you can write your own message on it — £1.50 (80p p&p). All at Peter Knight, High Sreet, Esher, Surrey, and London End, Beaconsfield, Bucks. Harvey Nichols, Knightsbridge, SW1, has a similar selection, with a slight

variation on prices. For those whose intentions are charitable there is a Secret Love Badge — a heart that forms a question mark — which comes with a message promising to reveal the giver's identity if you will only wear it. It costs £1, half of which goes to the British





1 Love You mug with blank heart and pencil to fill in your own message, £1.50 (80p p&p). Polo in perspex comes in a much larger heart decorated box saying "A gift for you that costs a mint", 99p (55p pap). Both from Peter Knight, Esher and

Heart Foundation, and is available post free from Anita Tingey, 27 Hylda Court, St Albans Road, from unrequited love. London, NW5.

If you want to go really crackers, you can buy a box of six for a Valentine party. In each cracker is a small heart-shaped tin containing a chocolate, can-dle, lip balm or soap £12.75 a box (£1.55 p&p) from Fortnum and Mason, Piccadilly, W1.

Chocolate is an obvious token being sweet on you -Selfridges have hand-made initials by Godiva at £1.85 (75p p&p) in milk, plain or white chocolate or you could have LOVE spelled out in a mixture of the three chocolates, packed in a wooden slatted box £6.50 (£2 p&p).

Boots has milk chocolate earts set into a Valentine card at 79p. There are six designs — four and Pilgrim Philatelics, which walt Disney, one romantic scene say "Valentines at Harrods Lon-

Saying it with flowers is easy for those who live within about five miles of Molly Blooms, 787 Fulham Road, SW6. They offer free delivery on baskets of spring flowers and a rose for £3.50, heart arrangements from £2.95 ceramic boxes with a rose £3.50, single sprays of exotic orchids £1.25. If you live further afield delivery charges will depend on the cost of the order. Last date

for complicated arrangements. February 11. At Harrods you can find a copy of a traditional embossed Victorian Valentine card. It will be posted from the store with special Harrods postmark created for the store by the Post Office

say "Valentines at Harrods Lon-

don SW1." To arrive in time for February 14, the last posting date for inland orders is February 10. The price is £1.65 inland orders, £1.85 overseas.

Those who are prepared to wait longer for the flowering of love should look for Growcards selection of cards with a bubble pack of flower seeds attached available in various designs (11% in x 4% in) from Westminster Cathedral's gift shop at 69p each.

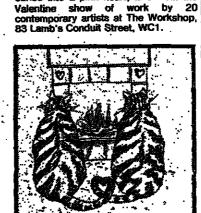
The English Rose version has the legend of the rose's thorns on the back — Cupid being stung on the lip while smelling a newly opened rose and his mother Aphrodite stringing his bow with bees, first taking out their stings and putting them on the stem of the rose as thorns. Conservationists were clearly thin on the ground on Mount Olympus.



Below: Charming little enamel box (1in diameter) by Cruminles with handdiameter) by Cruminles with hand-painted purple clematis Id. £12.35 (90p p&p) from a selection in French or English at Harrods. Also at Toker Windsor, Chichester

Mason, Piccadilly, W1.







black and white cats with their tails

curled into a pink heart, £15 from the

The Times Cook/Shona Crawford Poole

The many-layered art

Busy lizzies in bed

expensive half hardy flowers

The F1 hybrids have to be hand pollinated, and so the seed costs more. But being the progeny of two strains — male and female — selected for particular characteristics, they are usually more vigorous: often earlier flowering or larger flowered. In some cases, as with some mari-golds (tagetes) the hybrids are sterile — they do not set seeds and so the plants continue to flower abun-dantly until the autumn

Among the most popular months. marigoid hybrids are Nell They Gwynn', single, golden yel-low, 'Seven Star Red', doub-le, mahogany red, 'Solar le, mahogany red, 'Solar Gold' and 'Solar Orange',

The busy lizzies — varieties of impatiens — are great favourites as pot plants with secretaries as they do not mind being left unwatered

Writing about hardy annuals for a day or so. But many in the autumn, potted, trimlast week I mentioned that people do not realize what med back and brought inthere are few F1 hybrids splendid plants they are for among them, while there are dozens among the more baskets or for near the front of the dozens and the more baskets or for near the front of the dozens are dozens.

This is quite simple. You can almost always insert a thin plastic label between the

Gardening/Roy Hay

of beds and borders. There are several F1 hybrid mixtures; I particularly like the 'Zig-Zag' mixture, which has orange, scarlet, pink, rose or salmon flowers all splashed with a white star. These busy lizzies do well in sun or shade.

In recent years much work has been done with ger-aniums (zonal pelargoniums) and there are now almost two dozen F1 varieties. They are very floriferous and are easily raised from seed sown in heat at this time of year to flower within about four

They do need a temperature of about 70°F to germinate. Then they may be grown at about 60-65°F until they are planted out at the end of May or early June. Modern varieties of Begonia semperflorens sown now in heat, as with geraniums, will flower all summer. If de-sired, the plants may be lifted

seedlings on ready for pricking out, petunias, primroses, impatiens, polyanthus and Salvia 'Blaze of Fire'. Unwins also offer a range of seedlings for pricking off and boung plants for potting and ber of flowers that bloom in winter, I seem to have

ly blotched and speckled with maroon. It likes a moist soil. These monkey flowers are flowers in December. These

I have spent a lot of time in the past trying to hybridize the perenial M. cardinals, which grows to about two to surprised that several of our three fact and have small which grows to about two to three feet and bears small three feet and bears small friends did not know about scarlet flowers, but without success. Mimulus seems to be a very moral genus, but I still dream of a plant two or scarlet flowers, but without success. Mimulus seems to still dream of a plant two or make a hole in the ice before three feet high covered with it becomes too thick by large yellow and maroon

es. I also said it was excellent sack over them and the water for keeping the overlaps of will not freeze again so long greenhouse glass from be- as there is this insulating

panes and dislodge the dirt.

standing a hot kettle on it flowers.

And then to siphon or bale Recently I wrote about out enough water to leave a Algofen, the new chemical gap of an inch or so between

elegant and inexpensive dishes this one accomplish-Puff pastry Makes 1.25kg (2½lb) 500g (11b 2oz) plain flour

> 1 tablespoon lemon juice 250 to 275ml (8 to 9 fl oz) iced water . 500g (1lb 2oz) unsalted butter

There are, if my arithmetic is possible) and make a well in the middle of the dough with and to the same size as right, 730 layers in proper the centre of the heap, the short sides facing you before. Fold it in three puff pastry. And putting Combine the lemon juice and and the longer sides to right again, keeping the edges and them there is a tricky iced water and pour about and left. Fold the long sides corners square, and make one third of this liquid into the well. Using one hand to beat the mixture, and the other to support the walls of flour, draw in flour until the centre has the consistency of cream sauce. Add more water and continue mixing until you have a dough which can be formed into a ball.

Overworking the dough develops the gluten in the flour and makes the dough too elastic and difficult to too elastic and dirricult to roll later. So work it as little as possible, and form it into a ball. Wrap the dough in greaseproof paper and a damp cloth or foil to prevent it drying out, and chill it for at least 30 minutes.

Prepare the butter by working it with a knife or spatula into a block which esures about 15 by 10cm (6 by 4 inches). Put it between two sheets of greaseproof paper, for easier handling, and chill it.

Ideally, the butter and dough should have roughly the same consistency when you begin to roll them together. As this makes the following stages easier, it is worth a little patience at this stage to achieve it.

to the centre and press the join lightly with the rolling pin, then fold in the top and bottom sections and press lightly again just to stick the

Starting with the pin in the middle of the envelope, roll it out, working towards and away from your body only to make a rectangle about 20 by 40cm (8 by 16 inches). The short sides should still face you. Use a ruler or long knife to nudge the edges straight and square up the

Mentally divide the rec-tangle into thirds. Take the third nearest to you and fold it over the middle third, then bring the top third down over the other two. Square up the package and lightly tap the edges with the pin. Press one shallow dent in the top with your knuckle to remind you turn, wrap as before with greaseproof and a cloth or foil and chill for at least 30 minutes.

again, keeping the edges and corners square, and make two turn marks. Wrap and chill it for another 30 minutes.

You will see that if after every rolling and folding you reposition the pastry with the spine of the "book" on your left you have automatically turned the pastry through 90°. And by counting the turn mark dents you have here a mark dents you have kept a check on the number of turns made.

Six turns in all are required, making 730 leaves in the pastry — not quite a mille-feuille in one hit. The third and fourth turns should be possible without chilling the dough between them, likewise the fifth and last. But if the dough becomes too warm and soft, pop it back in the fridge to stiffen up. If the worst happens and the butter starts to leak through the

keep in the fridge for several days, or it can be frozen with

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the facilities to provide these temperatures, Dobies offer then spray the glass with the seedlings of these begonias Algoren solution so that it

lot of interest.

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For many purposes a packet of frozen puff from the supermarket does very well, and the real stuff is a delicious but time consuming luxury. That said, though, there are other recipes in which the buttery flavour and extra lightness of home made puff pastry make all the difference.

business.

"Cool it" is the answer to many of the problems puff pastry making poses. The lengthy instructions should help beginners to acquire the knack of working it deftly, but they leave no space for more recipes. So ideas for using puff pastry will follow Quite apart from all the

ment makes possible, it is very pleasing to work such a miraculous transformation on an unpromising lump of dough.

2 teaspoons salt

Sift the flour and salt on to a

clean surface (preferably a marble slab and as cold as

Unwrap the pastry and sides, two short and one long, have folds in them long, have folds in them keep in the trid (think of the pages of a days, or it can book), and one long side has no ill effects.

dough, dust the afflicted area that it has had one fold, or with a little flour and chill well before carrying on. Take heart, you probably have 700 or more layers left. After the sixth and last turn, mark and wrap the have a good look at it. Three pastry as before and chili sides, two short and one well before using it. It will

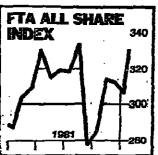
Lightly flour the work surface and roll the dough, working from the centre outwards, to a rectangle large enough to wrap the butter block with just a little overlap. Place the butter in spin book), and one tong stde has motion for spin and in the spin of the "book" on until golden in a preheated butter block with just a little overlap. Place the butter in again using the same method one tong stde has a motion spin of the spin of the spin of a book). Put the pastry on chill it again before glazing with beaten egg and baking until golden in a preheated butter block with just a little overlap. Place the butter in

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BUSINESS NEWS

US boosts trading



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Stock markets in London and New York traded strongly, encouraged by evidence of a recovery in the United States economy, Both markets reported heavy volumes. The London stock market closed up 6.0 on the FT-30 index at 579.8 and up 3.65 on the average at 330.93. The FT 30 was the highest since last May. The Dow Jones was up 2 points at mid-session, held back only by caution ahead of the latest money supply

\$75m cocoa loan agreed

Producers and consumers in the International Cocoa Organization agreed in London yesterday to allow the buffer stock manager to negotiate a loan of \$75m from a group of Brazilian banks. The way for the loan was cleared by acceptance of an increase of one to two per cents per lb of cocoa in the levy of

EEC housing credit move

The EEC Commission plans to bring forward a draft directive to liberalize housing credit that could allow borrowers to shop around from country to country for a mortgage. Mr Christopher Tugendhat, Com-missioner for Financial Affairs, said the move would encourage mobility of labour as people could take their loans with them when moving from one EEC country to another.

Kuwait keen on Gulf refinery

Kuwait is showing increas-ing interest in buying at least part of Gulf Oil's European refining interests. A senior Kuwaiti official is reported to have visited Gulf's refinery at Milford Haven, South Wales, this week. Kuwait already has a stake in development of the British sector of the North

Gulf Oil, one of the biggest American oil compa-nies, has refineries in the Netherlands, Denmark, Swit-zerland, and Italy, as well as

Bowater bid Bowater could become Bri-

Chrysler move

Chrysler seeems to have singled out General Dynamics as the most attractive bidder for its tank-building subsidiary. About half the Chrysler directors were briefed on the sale and a full board meeting is planned next Thursday.

MARKET SUMMARY

last May, opening up 10.4 at 584.2 but closing at 579.8, up 6.0 after profit taking.

close. There was a limited amount

very limited market.
William Jacks was also the subject of bid talk as the

tain's third largest double-glazing manufacturer if negotiations to buy the Zenith Group of Norwich are successful. Zenith has recently moved into PVC replacement windows and doors and Bowater is its

LONDON EXCHANGE

FT Index 579.8 up 6.0 FT Gilts 65 up 0.50 FT all-share 330.93 up 4.65 Bargains 20,560

day's gains in the absence of a new short tap and in anticipation of good news in United States money supply figures. Long dates ended up £% with shorts £38 better than the previous night's of dealing in the new index linked issue which was marked up £ ½. Leading equities improved in line with the market, with Beechams up 7p at 243p, Thorn EMI advancing 13p to 458p and

GKN 3p better at 187p.
There was also switching from Unilever, up 5p to 650p, and Shell, 2p ahead at 380p, into their heavyweight Dutch parents. Unitever NV and Royal Dutch. A line of 500,000 Shell Transport

Babcock continued to be bought in substantial quantities by the previous day's buyer and the shares closed 5p ahead at 101p as the prospect of a bid

grew. Wm. Low. Supermarket and freezer centre operator was up 2p at 194p on rumours that Kwik Fit was poised to make a bid. The shares have risen from about 150p in the past year and a line of 150,000 shares were bought

overseas trading and motor group's share price put on 6p to

There were lines of BTR and C E Heath in the market.
Another stock attracting interest was British & Commonwealth Shipping, the group controlled by the Cayzer family whose interests extend well beyond Union Castle and Clan

Euphoria at the previous nights rally on Wall Street pushed the FT Index to its highest point since UK, and has substantial international up 10.4 at ests in property and office hotels and inequipment, hotels and in-surance. Its break-up value is above the share price, which rose 6p to 381p. ... -- - -

Building and engineering remain popular sectors ahead of the March Budget and an improvement in the economy. The maintained interim dividend at John Brown came as welcome relief after the difficulties over last year's rights issue, while the chairman's moderately optimistic comments on the full year boosted the shares 4p to 66p.

Breweries remain firm in the tope that drinkers will escape lightly in the Budget Bass improved 5p to 215p after the previous day's bearish com-ments from the chairman.

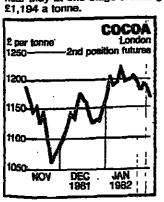
On the takeover front Associ-ated Communications Corporation slipped a 4p to 69p while Huntley & Palmer were 4p off at 108p as hopes fade of a bid from Allied-Lyons improving on the Rowntree offer.

inchcape jumped 22p to 345p and Fitch Lovell improved 5p to 80p after consideration of while Davy Corporation was 8p better at 160p as the market reflected on the £26.5m cash call earlier in the week. Equity turnover on January 8 was £140.232m (15,326

Gareth David

COMMODITIES

 Reports in the middle of the afternoon that the International Cocoa Organization had given the buffer stock manager permission to negotiate a \$75m loan failed to rally the market. There was disappointment that the amount was no bigger, and so March cocoa was marked down by £26 a tonne to close at £1,180.50. May fell £21 to £1,166.50 a tonne. The buckwardation emerged despite near May at one stage touching



• Tin slipped further from the record levels reached in the middle of the week. Market sources said that London Metal Exchange tin stocks had risen from 16,385 tonnes at the end of last week to nearer 18,000 tonnes. Standard tin closed at £8,640 a tonne, down £15 while three months was £7,970 compared with £8,027.50. Mr philip Smith, chairman of the LME board, said that deliveries on February 25 and 26 by those who went short last year would be crucial to the orderly working of the market.

OTHER EXCHANGES

Index 1,417.42 up 19.12 Tokyo: Nikkei Dow Jones index 7,918.82 up 14.97

CURRENCIES

6 The dollar recovered from early weakness in moderate trading. Sterling was generally firm, touching \$1.89 LONDON CLOSE

STERLING \$1.8810 up 90. index 91.7 up 0.1 DM 4.3575 Fr.F 11.0900 Yen 429.50 ··· DOLLAR Index 109.8 down

0.4pts DM 2.3147 down 123 pts GOLD \$387.00 up \$3.25

MONEY MARKETS

 Period rates were marginally easier. The Bank gave help of £435m. in response to a forecast shortage of £450m., dropping its Band 3 rate to

Domestic Rates: Base rates 14% 3-mth interbank 14916-14716.

Euro-Currency Rates:

3 month dollar 14716-141116. 3 month DM 10%-10%. 3 month Fr.F. 1513 te-1511 te.

Engineering export orders up by 40pc

By Edward Townsend, Industrial Corresponden

companies are achieving a gested there was "a clear big breakthrough in overseas opportunity for United King-markets, with new export dom salesmen to build on last orders having risen by more than 40 per cent towards the end of last year. Export orders on hand are now a fifth higher than a year ago. But while the figures, But while the figures, compiled by the Government, indicate a resurgence in world trade in engineering products, it is clear that the United Kingdom industry is relying on overseas business for survival.

The home market for the engineering industries, according to the Departments of Trade and Industry, is showing "a more pedestrian

showing "a more pedes performance" new or new orders were down seven per cent and sales up by only three per cent in August-October last year compared with the previous three months. Machine tools represent a particular black spot, with

markets. In the three and sales by 12 per cent. Government ministers

however, remain optimistic and see the export perform-ance of engineering compa-

Mr Gerald Ronson con-firmed last night that his Heron Corporation will go to

the Appeal Court on Monday

and attempt to overturn a High Court ruling that has effectively shut him out of the race to own Associated

ation, Lord Grade's former

empire. But Mr Robert Holmes à

Court, the Australian finan-cier, who is bidding £36m for

the asset-rich entertainments

and property group, still cannot steal a victory. Although he has been

promised enough shares of

ACC directors to give him control, Mr Holmes à Court must now call a special shareholders' meeting to authorize the scheme to

freeze ACC's voting shares in

its 51 per cent owned subsidiary, Central Indepen-

Court has ruled the present

In the High Court yester-

day, ACC undertook not to

Holmes à Court could still

distribute his formal offer document for ACC. It is

expected that this will go out

with the notice convening the special shareholders' meeting

cast yesterday that pretax profits for the year to next March "should not now prove to be too far short of

the £14.2m achieved in 1981".

The share bardened 4p to 66p, against 1982 high of 101p and a low of 53p.

scheme is not valid.

Communications

Ronson to appeal

ruling on ACC

Corpor-

engineering said the export figures sugyear's unexpectedly good export performance with the help of recent startling ductivity, an easing of the exchange rate and the expected revival of inter-

pected revival of inter-national trade".

He added: "And of course, there should not only be room for growth abroad but in regaining some of the domestic market share loss to the inroads of overseas competitors in recent years." Such sentiments, however, are not reflected in the recent weeks by leading engineering organizations.

Most call for renewed help boost new investment and assist small companies.

The latest, published yes-terday by the Process Plant Association, urges Sir Geofthe industry coping with Association urges Sir Geof-stagnant demand in almost frey Howe, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, to set aside much more money for public months to October, export much more money for public new orders fell by 15 per cent sector capital spending in the coming year. The association,

represents a sector with a £2,000m annual turnover third of which is exported — and employs 80,000 people. nies as a sign of better times and employs 80,000 people. engineering sector largely ahead. Mr John Biffen, says the industry's inter-were responsible for the Secretary of State for Trade, national competitiveness has upturn in the export figures.

son: Back to court

Court move is now backed by BPM Holdings, the Birming

ham Post group, and Anglo-International Investment

Trust, part of the financial arm of European Ferries.
Together the three hold 567,000 non-roting shares in

which came on the last of a

The shareholders believe

that by backing Heron's attempt to open ACC to other bidders, a third could emerge which could well top his group's £46m offer.

This led market analysts to

ACC and 7,500 voters.

Before their

voting shares.

transfer any shares until three-day High Court hearing Monday. But this was given on Wednesday, Mr Ronson's on the understanding that Mr group owned just 2,000 non-

John Brown payout held

By Peter Wainwright

John Brown, the inter- This reassurance come

national engineering group, after news early last month

is to maintain its interim of serious shortcomings in dividend at 2½p. machine tool management This should mollify City and a sudden worsening in

critics of Mr John Mayhew-trading conditions.

Sanders, chairman. He fore-

Mr Harry Hornsby, the association's director general, said that the Government's attack on public expenditure was supported but spending had continued to grow at the expense of

Another submission, from the Engineering Industries Association, stresses that last year it lost 749 member firms year n lost 749 member firms with a total labour force of 50,000. A system of investment grants is needed, it says, particularly for small and medium companies, to help to replace old inefficient and often obsolete plant and machinery.

"Some present equipment

in use is upwards of 40 years old, competing against subsi-dized new technology equip-ment from Japan and other

The official figures for the engineering industry show that taking seasonal factors intal sales into consideration, total sales rose by only 2.5 per cent in the three months to October, with new orders up by eight per cent and orders on hand rising by five per cent. A number of big overseas contracts won by the heavy

Mitsubishi denies car quota dodge

According to Mistubishi in the United Kingdom, its entire consignment is imported direct from Japan and not via any other country.

A report in the Economist this week says that Mitsubi-shi has privately told the Australian Government that

precedent for judging whether these imports would be classified as Australian or of the managers' association, Japanese. However, both the said.

Department of Trade and the The home brew market turers and Traders are confi-dent that unless there was a substantial Australian con-

Mitshnbishi bought Chrysler's manufacturing plant in Australian in April 1980 for A\$80m. Since then it has reduced the workforce form 6,700 to about 4,000.

The company has also more than halved the time taken to manufacture an average car. Chrysler of Australia took 60 hours to make a car while the Mitsubishi average is neare:

The reports suggest that the Japanese company would consider exporting cars to Britain to qualify for export credits. The export credit scheme due to start in Australia in the spring allows a car manufacturer to import components duty free assuming that the same value of parts are exported.

revise profit projections down from £19m to around £12m. It also created a storm last year that the Japanese because the chairman was motor industry agreed to another year of voluntary optimistic last July, shortly before a £24m rights issue of one for three at 76p restraint on exports to Bri-

Mitsubishi, the Japanes car company, has denied reports that it is planning to import into Britain completed vehicles manufactured in Australia to avoid the voluntary restraints on Japanese

it will export cars manufac-tured in Australia to Britain.

There appears to be no tent in the cars, they would be classified as Japanese.

It was only in November of



Licensed trade calls

By Derek Harris, Commercial Editor

Home brewing, which has increased by a third in the past year while commercial beer sales have plunged, is being suggested as a target for taxation in the Budget.

The growth of here been made beer making market was worth £10m a year and home-brew kits made beer-making easier through the introductionof a ready-made malt and hops

The growth of heme brewing has prompted a meeting next week between the National Association of Licensed House Managers, the National Union of Licensed Since then the market has grown by just over 70 per cent to an estimated £17m last year. The range of equipment needed to make beer adds another £4m to the Victuallers, which represents public house tenants, and the National Council on Alcoholism, to press demands for excise duty on home-made value of the home-brew

CREELESS)

Although these organizations are concerned about produced for only 7p a pint how home wine making or less, so a conservative escaping excise duty, the estiate would be that at least 272 million pints were made last year. Brewing takes a couple of weeks and then the beer should ideally be left to mature in bottle for about main thrust of their attack is the home-brew kits for beer. "We are not kill-joys and do not want to stop those who might make, say, fruit wine as a hobby, but the three months before drinkeffect of unfair competition from what is now a sizable home-brew industry is a different matter," Mr Harry Shindler, national secretary

Caxton beer kits, which opened up the kit market in the early 1970s, were followed by a spate of others, with Boots mounting the biggest threat because of its bulk barrels a year, according to Mr Shindler, the equivalent of nearly 173 million pints, or rather more combined strength as manufacturer and retailer. - -

The growth in beer making is now outpacing that of home produced wine which than 1.5 per cent of commerincreased by a quarter last year to an annual sales value of £15m. The value of wine But this almost certainly inderstates the size of this making equipment market adds another £9m in annual market which first took off when Customs and Excise restrictions on home brewing sales.

cial beer produced annually.

Wall St **spurs** London market

By Michael Clark

Thursday's overnight surge on Wall Street, fuelled by further evidence of a recovery in the United States economy, spilled over into the London stock market yesterday. The FT Index closed 6.0 higher at 579.8, having opened 10.4 up. Government securities also recorded gains of £% partly

worldwide interest rates had finally peaked. Dealers in London expected to make further neadway on the back of Wall

reflecting the renewed strength of the American bond market and hopes that

Street's new found confi-At this level the FT Index At this level the FT Index stands at its highest point since May 1, 1981, when it stood at 591.9 — just 5.3 short of its all time high. Meanwhile, United States dealers are talking of the Dow Jones industrial average, up 21.6 at 864.25 on Thursday, breaching the 900 barrier within the next few weeks after a 0.6 rise in the December economic indicators.

President Reagan's State of the Union speech has also done much to encourage the latest change of heart, ai-though many American ana-lysts remain cautious.

Mr Michael Horsburgh, of Bear Stearns & Co, believes that while the equity market had been heavily oversold in recent weeks and some reaction was inevitable, further economic setbacks were

on the cards.
Further increases in United States prime rates were possible as the Governwrestled to control public expenditure. As a result both equities and bonds would continue to fluctuate short term as the economy continued to reach

the bottom of the trough.

Mr Ernie Moskowitz, of
Dean Witter Reyonlds, held a
similar view. He said the
government's failure to reduce public spending would see prime rates again rise to as much as 20 per cent during the third quarter of the financial year. But a possible change in governfinal quarter might introduce the first signs of a real recovery.

Last night Wall Street was in a nervous mood awaiting the latest money supply figures.

markets period rates were slightly easier where chan-ged. At the weekly tender the Treasury bill rate was barely changed at 13.51 per cent, but the market was mildly encouraged by the fact that the Bank of England allowed its Band 3 dealing rate to slip from 13% to 13¹³/s per cent in

EEC fails to win Japan import curbs

ing Japan's trade surplus with members of the EEC ector-general for external affairs, said that Japanese ended in Tokyo today withplans to cut tariffs and out any apparent progress.

The Community failed to eliminate 67, non-tariff barriers represented a step in the right direction. But he added there was still a long extract any precise assurances from Japan that it would limit exports of "sensitive" way to go. He said the EEC deficit of products such as cars, colour television tubes and numeri-cally controlled machine tools, to the member states of between \$13,000m and \$14,000m in its trade with

the Community.

EEC negotiators, were still stressing that Japan should the rise in the number of on pharmacet unemployed in the Community to 10 million was a have to wait and direct consequence of had any impact. make greater efforts to open its market Sir Roy Denman, the

High level talks on reduc- European Commission's dir- Japan's export success, it had pointed out that the trade imbalance could pressure for protectionism In these circumstances, the Japanese pledges were of limited value. The promised tariff reduction would, for example, cut the price of a bottle of high quality Scotch whisky by only eight to 11 yen (between 2p and 2/4p) in Japan was a structural Japanese shops. Actioned phenomenon. Although the the Community welcomed changes in non-tariff barriers cosmetics, the EEC would have to wait and see if they

No interest from US car makers

Renault favourite for De Lorean deal

By Edward Townsend **Industrial Correspondent**

Renault of France is believed to be a potential purchaser of the De Lorean Motor Company, the troubled Belfast sports car operation which was this week refused further British government financial aid.

Mr John De Lorean, the

company's founder said in New York yesterday that he was discussing the sale with "a prestige foreign manufac-turer" after the failure of initial talks with an unnamed United States car maker. General Motors and Ford have been suggested as possibe buyers, but Renault, which already supplies engines for the stainless steel,

gull-winged car, is emerging

Mr De Lorean was speak-

as the favourite.

ing after his abortive attempts this week to persuade Mr James Prior, the Ulster Secretary, to agree to further government guarantees covering an additional £36m of loans. As a result, Belfast managers told the 2,600 workers on Thursday that 1,100 would be made redun-

Union officials immedi-

ately began talks with the local management over compensation terms and Шw address a meeting of the workforce today. Meanwhile, Mr John iume, leader of Ulster's ocial Democratic and

Labour Party, is to meet Mr Prior to discuss the crisis. Mr De Lorean, he said, had met his job targets on time and had made a remarkable achievement. "Many industries have come to Northern Ireland and have gone and have been in receipt of massive sums of government money and have not been subjected to the slightest spotlight".

Mr De Lorean, whose company has received £83m in British state loans and guarantees, said that by selling to a bigger concern he would hope to gain immediate international marketing expertise and technical facilities. He had a letter of commitment, he said, from a United States company offering \$200m of finance but this depended upon the United

government re-

Kingdom

the company's \$130m debt. Coopers and Lybrand, City accountants, is studying the feasibility of his plan and conducting a review of the company both in Belfast and in the United States and is due to report to the Government within two weeks. Mr De Lorean said: "If the plan is rejected the company will survive but it will have to be

The \$200m would be used to finance exports and to assist dealers in the United



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Trusting in the specialist funds The four unit trust advisers

who make up the Times-Money Programme Unit Trust Competition Panel of experts, reveal their entries for the competition. Left to right: Jamie Berry of Berry Asset Management, Peter Hayes of Plan Invest Group Limited. Peter Edwards of Premier Unit Trust Brokers and Paul Harwood of Richards Longstaff Unit Trust Portfolio Manage-

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PERSONAL INVESTMENT AND FINANCE

Entries for the Times-Money Programme unit trust compe-tition came flooding in last week as entrants rushed to beat the January 30 deadline. We have not had time to sort and count them all but it is plain that the final total will be several thousand.

Specialist trusts have been much in evidence as the preferred top performers for 1983, and as the table shows, our experts have plumped for

Perhaps the most surpris-ing choice is Peter Edwards' Stewart British Capital trust which he nominates for first which he hommates for first place. He reasons that a small trust like the Stewart fund which is only £250,000 will have a better chance of performing well compared with giants like Save and Prosper's Investment Trust Units which your top \$180. Units which now top £180

has been available for six years and it has an excellent track record" he says. "Be-cause we may see some market weakness in the short term, we felt it right to seek a fund where the manager can exercise wide discretion when it comes to liquidity." term, we felt it right to seek
a fund where the manager
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when it comes to liquidity."
Stewart British Capital is
around 40 per cent liquid (in performer in 1982. "I like the
cash or near cash) " and it
will be interesting to see

"Stewart British Capital

Gartmore Australia when James Ferguson, the manager, gets off the fence and commits cash to the says Peter Only one trust — GT Japan and General — appears twice in the list of choices — a tribute to the excellent record of the GT management team. And there is only one other Far Eastern rep-

2nd Choice

Resources

Henderson Oil and Natural

GT Japan and

GT Japan and

stative — the Hongkong Smaller Companies Fund.

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3rd Choice

Schroder

Gartmor UK Sma

Henderson

Jamie Berry believes that overseas stockmarkets will perform better in 1982 than the UK market. "We think throughout 1982 — particuthe winning trust.



Perpetual Group Growth Find is the first choice of Peter Hayes of Plan Invest—again a relatively small fund of around £5 million, but with an excellent long term with an extendent long term track record. It has appre-ciated steadily over the years showing capital growth of well over 800 per cent over

well over 800 per cent over the past seven years.
"It has been the best performing trust over seven and eight years and I like the fact that it is international" says Peter Hayes. Perpetual Growth is around 66 per cent invested in Britain. "The managers can do my switching for me and I believe they will be moving some of their money into the Australian markets."

market has yet to discount money into the Australian the US recovery which will markets."

come in 1982-83", say's Paul Today is the closing date Harwood of Richards Lonfor entries and from now, gstaff. He does not believe readers can sit back and see that currencies will play an how their trusts perform important part in determining performance in 1982 and which starts the year well end is therefore quite happy to the year at the top of the take a chance with the US league table, and on that dollar. the year at the top of the league tible, and on that basis the American funds should be among the top ten

We will be publishing progress reports throughout the year and it will be that the economy in the US interesting to see how many which began to recover in the entrants have picked the besautumn of 1981 will improve performing sector— if no

have to keep an average credit balance of £180 to qualify for free banking. Customers of Co-op Bank (as opposed to First Co-operative Finance which is launching the new account) can qualify for free banking by simply

Card frauds

In brief

deal

per cent.

Not such

First Co-operative Finance's new Interest hearing current account available from Mon-

day is not nearly such an attractive proposition as first expected. Interest will be calculated on a daily basis from the national published interest rate — currently 10

But there is a flat fee of

£1.50 a mouth or £18 a year to cover bank charges which

means that at today's quoted interest rate, customers will

a good

Credit card fraud is on the Credit card fraud is on the increase and Barclaycard admits that its-fraud losses have gone up from £1.7 million in 1979 to £5.1 million during 1981. Some 11,000 cards which were sent to cardholders through the post, were fraudulently used and arrests totalled 1,933. Barclaycard now has 132 fulland arrests totalled 1,933.

Barclaycard now has 132 fulltime fraud investigators
working round the clock to
combat this growing prob-

Above rate

Chelsea Building Society guarantees 2.25% above the gnarantees 2.25% above the ordinary Chelsea Shares rate on tits new Lion Shares. Interest is paid annually and at present the rate is 12% net, equivalent to 17.14% gross for basic rate taxpayers. Investments in Lien Shares (minimum £500) will mature after three years.

Self-help

Scottish Amicable has intro-duced two improvements in its self-employed pensions— the launch of an investmentlinked contract and a revamp of its existing with-profits contract Flexipension. The Personal Retirement Invest-ment Plan is linked to six taxexempt funds. The new contract offers flexibility in contributions, loanback fa-cilities and the ability to tional with profits contract when there is a greater need for security. This with pro-fits policy is being improved. by a return of fund option, on death before retirement, but the return-without-interest policy is still best for

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A Good Time to Invest

As an exporter of raw materials, Australia has been particularly affected by the world trade recession. This, combined with a continuing period of high international interest rates, has resulted in an unsettled stock market, which currently stands well below its peak.

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For basic rate taxpayers the difficulty is in guessing what the rate of inflation will the past 12 months. no investment of comparable

be over the coming twelve months, and comparing the squeezed the maximum from return with what else is their investments over the available. Inflation is officially predicted to run at around 10 per cent during the next National Saving's Bank year and the before-tax investment Account, and this equivalent for a basic rate will probably remain the taxpayer is 14.2 per cent most convenient course of easily obtainable on a build-action in 1982. National ing society "extra interest" Savings tends to ignore short-account at the moment, but term interest rate fluctua-

lational saving

Ceruncates Local Authority Town yearlings currently look a better bet for non-taxpayers.

tions and in today's competitive market, is anxious to keep the edge on its competi-

But a 1 per cent cut in NSB Investment Account rate was announced this week — down cent on March 1, and at this level it is not so attractive as yearing bonds paying 14.75. per cent with the rate fixed

learn, open-minded attitude to modern technology and

commonsense approach — "Where does the best wine come from — and why?" —

corporation, contact Andrew

A stake in Californian wines could be fruitful

Investment in New World vineyards and wineries is an increasing trend — with some famous estate owners and big businesses in Europe proving their awareness of the potential of quality wines, pro-duced with an eye on world as well as local markets. Now it is possible to invest in the California wine busi-ness by means of a quoted

company. The Opimian Society of Canada, with 8,600 members, has, for nine years, provided the opportunity to study and buy fine wines at competitive prices. They have formed the California Vineyards Corpoup locally, this vineyard winemakers, he came into venture is still open to wine with no previous experi-

anyone with a minimum of ence — and therefore no set rebruary 15. This project is the start of the creation of fine wine — selecting the ideal sites for certain classic grapes able to make the style acclaimed as fine by world standards, not merely extending the range of some existing concern, ministing successful European wines, or striving to produce novelties of epheme-

rai appeal. The man behind the wines is William Hill, who started making wines as recently as 1976, but who has already achieved prestige and com-mercial success with several

properties. Hill is convinced that, in the Napa - California's bestknown wine region — fine wine must be produced on slopes, in chosen areas where: a particular micro-climate enables the grapes to ripen without being scorched by excessive heat; this tends to increase the alcoholic con tent in wines that, by European standards, can be somewhat aggressive and lacking in fragrance.

Drainage and agration of the vineyard must also contribute to quality. The stress William Hill puts on red wines (his are mainly Cabervignon) is somewhat unusual, as many New World

wineries find the market for whites more immediately rewarding, but Hill believes that properly matured reds from his new vineyards are causable of achieving superh capable of achieving superb

come from — and why?"—
seems to have set him on the
path to creating classics.
Already William Hill wines
are binned in the cellars of
the White House.
For a prospectus and
further details of the
Opinian California Vineyards. His vineyards have progressed from yielding a mere-5,000 cases in 1978 to 6,400 in 1980 and the new winery aims initially at putting out 20,000 cases, with eventual extensions enlarging capacity to 100,000. Recent comments from American wine correspondents indicate respect for William Hill wines, as well as for his sometimes methods. ration and, although most of Like certain other estab-the shares have been taken lished and admired California

Walwyn Stodgell Cochran Murray Ltd, Milestone House, 167 Camon Street, EC4 (01-283 4181). Pamela Vandyke-Price



Keeping an eye on Californian wines-they can be an interesting form of investment

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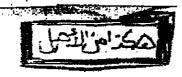
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Translating this into an index-linked loan means that

a £20,000 loan on a £25,000 house bought a year ago would have grown to £20,500 but the value of the house

would have fallen to £22,500.

will owe more on his index-linked loan than the house is-worth. Even if this does not

happen, buying the second

house is that much more difficult because there is less

profit from the sale of the first, and therefore less ability to gear up.

All this assumes that you

move house and repay the index-linked portion of the

loan out of your profits. If you simply repay the loan over the original 25-year term, you could find yourself reaching retirement age with

the repayments on the origi-nal loan completed, but with the index-linked portion still

You are not obliged to repay this but it will continue to rise in line with increases

in the house price index.
However, the new index-

linked loan scheme comes

into its own for elderly homeowners having diffi-

culty making ends meet on their current income.

The usual means of providing extra income is to enter into what is known as a

outstanding.

If the same thing occurs

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and growing income, together with capital growth. Since the trust started in December 1971 the net income per unit has risen 235%. The original investors are now receiving a gross yield of over 20%. Capital growth has also been excellent

since launch the price of units has risen 192%, compared with 66% for the All-Share

Out of 75 income trusts available, Framlington Income Trust had the best combined income and capital growth the British economy recovers. On January 26 the offer price was 48.6p. The estimated gross yield was 6.99%. Distributions are on January 15 and July 15.

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FOUR FUNDS

FOR 1982

1981 was a good year for Framlington. The average rise in the offer

price of our funds over the 12 months to

December 1 was the best of any of the larger unit trust groups. This performance earned us the coveted title of Observer Unit Trust

In this advertisement we choose four funds we think may interest investors for 1982.

They include a capital growth fund; a speculative fund; an income and growth fund; and an income fund. In our opinion

this is a good time to invest in any of the

International Growth Fund invests single-

mindedly for capital growth on a world-wide basis. At present 62% is in the U.S., 17% in

Japan and the Far East and 20% in the U.K.

Since the fund started in October 1976 the price of units has risen 350% compared with 166% for the FT All-Share Index. Over-

the five years to January 1 this was the second best performer of the 35 international funds, turning £1,000 into £3,922 (Money Management figures). It was 4th out of 36 over 3 years, 2nd out of 42 over 2 years and 5th out of 46 over one year.

For unitholders seeking long-term capital growth, this is the ideal fund.

On January 26 the offer price was 75.0p (Accumulation units, 81.4p). The estimated gross yield was 1.19%. Distributions on income units are on June 15 and December

SPECULATIVE

American Turnaround Fund invests for capital growth in U.S. recovery situations. These occur when a company fallen on hard times is given a new lease of life.

Since American Turnaround Fund was

started in October 1979 the price of units

has risen 67%, compared with 28% for the All-Share Index (and 31% for the equivalent US Index, the S&P Comp, adjusted for cur-

rency changes). Over the year to January 1 the price of units rose 22.7%.

Investors should recognise that although turnaround funds can be very rewarding,

On January 26 the offer price was 83.4p. The estimated gross yield was 1.82%. The annual distribution is on August 15.

INCOME AND GROWTH

Capital Trust aims to combine aboveaverage capital growth with an average income. This is the oldest Framlington fund,

started in 1969. It specialises in smaller

British growth companies and has a very

Since the fund started the price of units has risen 322% compared with 7.7% for the FT All-Share Index. Over the five years to

January 1 this was the best performer of the

On January 26 the offer price was 70.4p

(Accumulation Units 75.8p). The estimated

gross yield was 4.85%. Income distributions are on May 15 and November 15.

INCOME

Income Trust aims for an above average

83 general trusts on the market.

they can also be highly volatile.

good long-term record.

CAPITAL GROWTH

Managers of the Year.

VALUE FOR MONEY

The annual charge on Framlington funds is still only 1/2% (+VAT). The average spread between bid & offer prices (this includes stamp duty of 2% and the initial charge of 5%) is deliberately kept narrow: on January 26 it was 6.11% of the offer price. When you cash in Framlington units the cheque is normally sent on the day we receive your renounced certificate. Or you can switch into another fund at a discount.

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Through a professional adviser. Units can be bought through stockbrokers, banks, solicitors, accountants or insurance brokers.

CAUTION.

The price of units and the income from them can go down as well as up.

GENERAL INFORMATION Applications are acknowledged. Your certificate will be sent by the registrars, Lloyds Bank Limited, within 42 days. The minimum holding is normally 600 units.

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penalties'. Nor is the plan subject to capital gains tax. You yourself would be liable only if your total capital gains exceeded £3,000 in the year you cashed in your plan, whose proceeds will depend on unit values at the

To start your plan, fill in the application and send it to us with your cheque. We shall send you a direct debit mandate for you to sign and return to us in the reply-paid envelope we provide.

You may chip in extra at the start with a cheque for more than your monthly contribution. Remember that plans of £100 a month or more get a 1% bonus.

To: Framlington Unit Management Limited, 64 London Wall, London EC2M 5NQ I wish to invest the sum of ______ (minimum for this offer £500). I enclose my cheque payable to Framlington Unit Management Limited. I am over 18. For accumulation units in which income is reinvested (not available with Income & Extra Income Trusts), tick here.

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Full first name(s). Address

. Signature(s) Date

(Joint applicants should all sign and give details separately.) TIM3011 in making more and applicants

of average house prices of say, 5 per cent, but an individual might well experience a fall in the value of his buyers the chance to borrow per cent was launched this week by the Building Trust.

Cheap loans linked to house price index

The advantage of the particular property of 10 per scheme is that monthly cent — as some people know repayments with an index to their cost this year. mortgage are conconventional building society loan. This means that firstbuyers, who usually to borrow a high proportion of the purchase price of their property, can borrow up to four times their

before-tax salary.
On a 25-year mortgage of £25,000, the conventional building society borrower makes monthly repayments of £322.50 compared with only £229.75 with a Building Trust index-linked loan. The interest rate charged by the Building Trust is two-thirds of the Building Societies Association recommmended rate of 15 per cent. Tax relief is obtainable on the repayments in the usual way.

Nothing is for nothing, however, and the drawback is that half the original loan is to changes in the house prices index. This means, in effect, when the house is sold, the borrower is giving away 50 per cent of the capital gain on that part of the house financed by the

This does not sound too onerous until you realize that some houses increase in value more slowly than the average. And if your house is one of these, your loan is increasing in value faster

home annuity" scheme. For example, house prices The homeowner raises a notoriously vary widely from

HOME ANNUITY SCHEME

Example: Woman aged 75 — House Valued £50,000 — Loan Interest on £25,000 loan from Building Trust at 10 per 2,500 Less: tax relief at 30 per cent 750

Net interest payments per annum Income from annuity purchased with £25,000 loan 5,223 payable monthly in arrears 4,348 Net payment after deduction of basic rate tax Less net interest payments on loan

Extra spendable income after tax relief

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One of the privately-owned medium-sized insurance groups, Provincial, has a

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taken the bold step of moving funds are Prolific Techinto the unit trust business
on a large scale. Four unit
trusts are being added to the
existing range of three.

In tradem with this are

nouncement the life side of Provincial has also set up six groups, Provincial, has a longer history of equity investment than almost any company in the industry. Lord Keynes was on their board as investment director, and, an advocate of equity investment, started to buy shares in the 1930s.

Provincial has also set up six internal funds. These are linked directly to the new unit trusts. Initially this facility will be available for single premium business only. Later it will be extended to include regular premium investors.

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Money funds

14.25 per cent; Simco dollar fund, ments, interest quoted gross 13.31 per cent; interest paid (basic rate tax deducted at source without deduction of tax. Further reclaimable by non-taxpayers). details from Simco (01-236 0233), Best offers: 1 year, Cleveland 14 Tyndall (0272-732241), UDT pc; 2 years, Southend 14½ pc; 3 (scheme now closed to new nvestment).

National Savings Bank Ordinary accounts - interest 5 per cent, first £70 of interest taxfree. Investment Account — *15. 7855, after 3 pm). See also on
per cent, interest paid without
deduction of tax, one month's

Finance Loans Bureau (01-828
free. Investment Account — *15. 7855, after 3 pm). See also on
per cent, interest paid without
deduction of tax, one month's notice of withdrawal, maximum investment £200,000. Reducing to 14 per cent on 1st March.

National Savings index-linked certificates Maximum investment £5,000, return tax-free and linked to changes in the retail prices index, 4 per cent bonus if held London SE1 (01-928 7822).

full five years to maturity. Cash value of £100 certificates pur-chased in February 1977, £187.81 including 4 per cent bonus. National Savings certificates

equivalent to an annual interest rate over the five year term of 10.5 per cent, maximum invest-ment £5,000.

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> authority yearling 12-month fixed rate investments

month 14 per cent, 3 and 6 interest 14% pc basic rate tax months, 13% per cent Rates deducted at source (can be reclaimed by Barclays. Other banks may differ.

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Simco 7-day fund, 14.49 per cent; Local authority town hall UDT Average Rate Deposit Fund, bonds
15% per cent; Tyndall 7-day fund, Fixed term, fixed rate invest14.25 per cent; Simco dollar fund, ments, interest quoted gross years, Barnsley 14% pc; 4 years, Knowsley 14% pc; 5-10 years West Derby 15 pc.
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But with today's high interest rates, the amount left as extra income is often

is used to buy an annuity (an income for life) from a life

company. Part of the income

A similar scheme using a Building Trust index linked loan is much more beneficial since the interest rate charged on the loan is only 10 per cent. This leaves a much higher proportion of the annuity payments as cash

The Building Trust schen

not simple — but it could e useful to some homeowners. Any one thinking of buying a house with an index-linked loan, or setting up an index-linked home annuity scheme should con-sult their accountant and/or solicitor before signing. Further details from: The suilding Trust, Stationers Hall Court, 30/32 Ludgate iill, EC4M 7ND. Tel: 236

Monthly child benefits

Mothers receiving child benefit are being asked by the Department of Health and Social Security whether they want their benefit to be paid weekly or monthly.

At present child benefit worth £5.25 for each child is paid weekly by way of a book of orders which can be cashed at the Post Office. But the Government wants to switch as far as possible to monthly payments as a way of saving money on the scheme...

Last year it was decided that mothers who were already getting child benefit and who might therefore have become used to collecting their benefit each week, would be given a choice of weekly or monthly payments. But those who claim child benefit in 1982 for the first

will be able to change back to weekly payment.

ment system is to continue for a number of special groups, unless they particu-larly opt for the four-weekly plan. These are people receiving supplementary benefit, family income supplement or who are single parents. Any person who goes on to four-week payments and later fails into one of these groups will be able to switch to weekly

Another change is in prospect as well. Mothers opting for the less frequent payments will be whether they wish the child benefit to be paid direct into their bank or building society account or through the traditional book of orders.

the DHSS has paid benefits into bank accounts and it is something it would like to see catching on as a way of

benefit in 1982 for the first time are not being given any choice. They will receive the payment monthly.

In practice; what will happen is that those mothers happen is that those mothers happen is that those mothers those receiving retirement, pension. Later this year those pensioners who wish to who do decide to change to monthly payments will be able to elect change from their traditional weekly manage during this time they will be able to change four weeks.

Ian McDonald

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Why you should invest in **Spanish property**

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What the Papers Say

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If you send funds via a convertible pesetas brokers draft, the spanish banks will charge you 0.20 per cent of face value of the draft. This route is preferable to the bank transfer made between a United Kingdom bank and a Spanish bank. One reason is that funds transmitted under the latter method can "rest" in Madrid — where it earns interest for the bank — before the eventual transmission to the receiving bank in the province in which you are taking up residence.

One way to foil this particular Spanish ploy is to telex the receiving bank that the funds are on their way — and they will extract the cash from

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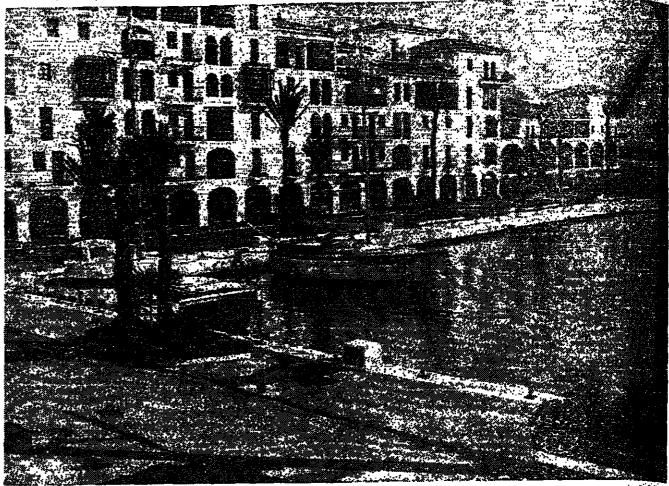
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Property at Peurto Cabopino, one of the Spanish properties being sold by Sol International

and what to watch out for

through the normal process of obtaining the necessary permits, which takes about 18 months, thus avoiding being given "tourist status". status is accorded, only a peseta normale account can be maintained, as with Spanish nationals.

Given this particular wishing to take up perma-nent residence in Spain, would be wise to leave the bulk of his, or her, capital in an off-shore finance centre such as Jersey.

This kills two birds with one stone. Cash left in a Jersey bank can be deployed on the money markets (sterling and foreign currency) or invested in shares, domestic bonds or Eurobonds, so that interest and dividends ac-cumulate virtually tax free

So, if you ever want to or come back to the United Kingdom, the bulk of your capital is nestling safely in Jersey rather than in Spain.

When it comes to the actual step of buying a villa or apartment in Spain, watch

out for the entrada, the one third deposit you will be required to put down. The reason is that the property reason is that the property
you are buying may not be
owned by the apparent seller
— properties in Spain can be
owned by whole families and
a relation can step in and
nullify the whole deal and
you could end up losing your
deposit

Until quite recently it was common practice for Spanish lawyers (whose fees, by the way, are "negotiable") to way, are "negotiable") to suggest that a property should be owned by way of private contract and not by deed and to "under declare" the value of the property. The reason which was ad-vanced was that it enabled which, until June, 1980,

It was then reduced to 41/2 per cent and a year's grace was given to anyone who owned a property in Spain on which he had not completed the formalities — in other words, he owned the property only by private contract

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escaping the payment of the property tax. It was agreed that a period of a year would allow everyone to put their property affairs in order, and it was generally understood that the previously under-declared values which had been accepted in the past would not be allowed in the

Since June last year any-one discovered owning a property only by private contract stands to pay a fine and his property tax will be charged at the old rate of 8.4 per cent.

Under-declaring a property's value on a private contract, or on the notarial deed or escritura, is foolish anyway because, when the time comes to sell up, the Spanish authorities will allow only the falsely declared, lower amount, to be repatriated to the United Kingdom.

bear in mind is Now 1974 when the register of foreign investments in Spain started. If you have bought Spanish property since that date — or intend buying one now — there are no restrictions on taking the proceeds of the property sale out of the country, as long a foreign currency or conven-ible pesetas were used for the original purchase. For prop erty bought before November, 1974, the seller is forbidden to repatriate more from the proceeds than he legally imported into Spain,
Bear in mind that there is a capital gains tax on sales which varies between munic palities — and can be inpaintes — and can be in-cluded in your rates as a type of witholding tax. The plus valia, is the Spanish equiva-lent of our capital gains tax

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Exports help trim deficit

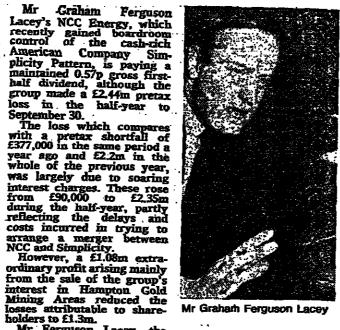
Neepsend, the Sheffield-based hand tool and steel processing group, is making some progress in returning to profitability after its first ever loss last year. At the half-way stage, the pre-tax deficit had been cut from £1.66m to £335,000 thanks to a 10 per cent improvement in

sales and a stronger export performance.

Mr Stanley Speight, the chairman, says that the scale of the recovery depends on economic circumstances, but that he views the future with confidence. Having cut out the loss making steel activities and other restructuring measures last year, Neepsend was relieved in the starting to the half-year, partly reflecting the delays and costs incurred in trying to arrange a merger between NCC and Simplicity. ties and other restructuring measures last year, Neepsend managed a trading profit of £736,000 in the previous two half years

half years. halt years.

But the group is still battling against its high level of gearing, with interest charges only slightly down on last time at £668,000, although the reduction in borrowings is now starting to take place.



Mr Graham Ferguson Lacey

shares will be announced shortly, which, along with the disposals currently in hand that do not relate to the

energy and mineral business, will result in a significant reduction in group borrow-

It is expected that dis-posals, including the sale of the carbonizing business, Rexco, will raise around £3m.

NCC is pressing ahead with plans to merge with Simplicity after the original merger proposals were blocked last year. This may involve Simplicity making an offer for NCC and Mr Lacey is thought to be thinking of an offer for NCC of at least 15th a charc 150p a share. .

Mr Lacey said yesterday that new proposals would be put to the Simplicity board on March 12 at a board meeting. NCC already has control of Simplicity's cash resources, although it only owns 20.03 per cent of Simplicity and is responsible for investing Simplicity's surplus cash of about £50m.

This follows the election of NCC directors to the Simplicity board at the annual meeting on January 22.

part of the activities of Banner Textiles. The consideration, payable in cash, will be based on a stock valuation and will be of the order of

£450,000. William Pickles will use

Astra set to buy Speedwell

Astra Industrial, the West Midlands engineering group, is set to take control of Speedwell Gear Case, the Birmingham-based sheet-

Mr Dennis Dukes, Astra's chairman, who controls 29.9 per cent of Speedwell's shares, has been appointed managing director. Mr Rodney Harnett, Speedwell's executive chairman, has resigned from the board, and been replaced by Mr Kanneth been replaced by Mr Kenneth Masien, the company's solici-tor who takes over in a nonexecutive capacity.

Astra has made a bid of 15p per share for the remaining 70.1 per cent of Speedwell's ordinary shares, which will be formally presented to the shareholders next week, Mr Maslen said.

Speedwell's 70 employees have also been made redun-dant, though the new management expects that around half will be reinstated when the company completes a move to a newer factory ten miles away at Tipton.

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a total of 480 employees

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Profits plunge but

Payout held
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group that has joined wth
Hawley Leisure to make and
sell what they claim is the
world's first video juke box,
saw its profits grow from bad
to worse in the six months to to worse in the six months to last September. Moreover, shareholders are warned by Mr Jeremy Pilkington, the new 30 year old chairman since September the situation has deteriorated further and we cannot foresee any im-provement in the trading environment in the near furure. Bad weather has

hindered construction. Om the half year to September, sales fell from £7.1m to £5.6m against £12.4m for the full year to March 1981. Pretax profits plunged from £1.36m to £535,000. In 1980-81 Vibroplant made £1.9m before tax, itself a long way from the itself a long way from the £3.64m peak of the year before. The half-yearly dividend is kept at 5.25p, despite the earnings plunge from 10.9p to 4.28. This dividend absorbe £221 000. absorbs £231,000;

WALL STREET

New York, Jan 29. — Stocks extended yesterday's rally in early trading and analysts said the market appears determined to remain in an uptrend despite the absence of any positive

background news. The Dow Jones industrial average was up 4-1/2 points, advances led declines by nine to one and volume totalled 13

The continuing strength in the bond market seems to be the immediate cause for the rally in stocks, analysts said. They also noted that the Dow Jones average had lost over 32 points this month before Thursday and was more than ready for an

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uptum. On Thursday stocks surged broadly from the opening bell in heavy trading turning in their best performance in 10 months.

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GRIMSHAWE

Weather brings bigger loss

Grimshawe Holdings, the industrial holding group has reported an increase in losses from £74,200 to £264,000 for the half year to October. Sales of the continuing parts of the business rose slightly from £1.13m to £1.4m.

Mr. Tom Kenny chairmen

from £1.13m to £1.4m.

Mr. Tom Kenny chairman
said: "The dreadful weather
in December and January has
seriously affected sales in
these months, and there is no
prospect of returning the borrowings have been re put up £440,000.

duced since completion of the sale of J. Manger, formerly the largest company in the group and concerned with DIY, to its management in December.

Mr Ferguson Lacey, the

chairman, said:"To reduce group indebtedness, a limited

subscription issue for new

Some £500,000 was received as a result of the sale, and full provision has been made in the results for the loss on disposal, he said.

WOMBWELL FOUNDRY

Buy-back

Wombwell Foundry has been purchased from the group to profit for the year from the group. Backing has to April 1982. Our projections for the next financial year appear more cheerful."

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BIDS AND DEALS

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William Beird on behalf of Baird Textile Holdings and its subsidiary, T. M. E., and William Pickles on behalf of Banner Textiles, report that T. M. E. has agreed to purchase the goodwill, trade marks and trading stocks of Banner schoolwear and Sting boys' leisurewear, which are

Latest results

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Firth Brown for £4.8m. The convertible holding in J. F. B. International entities Electra to an annual fixed dividend of 11½ per cent (net) together with a participation based on profit levels. The five companies acquired had combined sales and pretax profits for the year to \$20 teamber \$20 of \$2 fm. Elf Aquitaine reports a sharp drop in the year to September 30 of £8.6m and £918,000 respectively. There is

M Chalandon estimated his group's net profit lest year at around 3,500m francs (£322m), compared with 5,817m francs in 1980. M Chalandon said that in view of the uncertain outlook for 1982, Elf Aquitaine's profits this year cannot be estimated with any accuracy. "They could be similar to or double those of 1981", he remarked. Petrofina made an 11 per cent increase in profits last year, to 10,510m Belgian francs (£210m) in 1981. The Belgian oil conglomerate said it would propose a 20-franc said it would propose a 20-franc increase in its net dividend

INTERNATIONAL COMPANIES

Elf Aquitaine reports a sharp drop in 1981 earnings. The net consolidated earnings of the French state-controlled oil company are expected to show a drop of 40 per cent from the result achieved in 1980, mainly due to losses incurred by the group's retining activities, M Albin Chalandon, president, said.

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In the valley of the shadow, a matter of life and death

Football Correspondent The English League it may be but the two matches of the day take place over the border in Wales. Swanses City, once on top of the first division, take on the new leaders, Manchester United, and Memory Construct the best new leaders, Manchester United, and Newport County are the hosts for what may prove to be the last game that Bristol City will play. Both may have a significant hearing on the forms.

play. Both may have a significant bearing on the future.

A group of local businessmen, who could emerge as a shadow board pending the issue of new stares, are discussing a possible schwion to Bristol's grave financial problems but the fate of the club that owe over fim will not be resolved until next week. If Bristol fall others are sure to follow: Oxford United escaped narrowly recently and Halifax Town and Darlington are struggling to stay affort.

Today, shough the Caretaker

gling so stay affoat.

Today, though the Caretaker manager Roy Hodgson's only worry is team selection. "When the crisis hit us," he said, "I gave all the players a day off and wondered how they would react to being put out of work. I need not have worried. Their attinude has been entirely professional and there is a determination here to get a good result at Newport." Even if the club are there next Saurday eight of his side may Saturday eight of his side may

There are no such problems There are no such problems for John Toshack and Ron Atkinson, managers of Swansea and United respectively. Mr Toshack has bought six players and sold only two since August. He added another former Liverpool colleague, Ray Kennedy, to his collection in midweek and then added, with a curious sense of timing: "We must cut the wage bill

Scotland could turn to summer football when its chairmen hold a

summit meering at Dunblane tomorrow. A 14-point agenda has been drawn up by the Scottish

been drawn up by the scottain League management committee for the club chairmen, summer football topping the bill. As well as possible changes to the playing season, they will consider League reorganization, the three points for a win system and a revamped

Last week Scottish football

Last week Scottish football managers unardimously joined the campaign for a winter closure and yesterday the Scottish division of the National Federation of Supporters' Clubs also came out in favour. Their chairman, Charles Bent, presented the Partick Thistie chairman, Miller Reid, with a six-page dossier detailing views of official supporters clubs in Scotland.

"I've asked Mr Reid to distri-bute them among the other 37 club chairmen at Dunblane and I would ask every one of them to consider our proposals.

We are fully committed to a Change in the season, preferably shutting down in December and January and utilizing the months

of May and June. This is based on the simple fact that matches on bad pitches do not give value

for money and are extremely uncomfortable to watch.

"The number of games should be greatly reduced so as not to strike too deeply into the sup-

League Cup format.

Three games a week too

great a financial drain

to the can afford to omit two international defenders, Buchan and Gidman although both have recovered from injury. United, who announced that they are to install undersell beating as Child

recovered from injury. United, who announced that they are to install undersoil heating at Old Trafford next season, lost their way in the snow but found it again this week. Swansea, top of the tree at Christmas, are now adrift and today may represent their last realistic hope.

The club that Kennedy left is rapidly emerging as contenders. Still involved in three cup compentions, Liverpool visit their fellow European Cup representatives, Aston Villa, who have lost six of their last eight games as well as Shaw. His swollen knee is encased in plaster and Geddis, who scored thrice on his last outing, is the likely replacement in a contest that will be watched by spies from Dynamo Kiev.

Liverpool will meet the championship favourities, Ipswich Town, three times early next month but one face they are unlikely to see is Butcher's. A surgeon operated on it on Thursday and tied an artery leading from his broken nose to his eye. After remarking that he had never before seen such an injury, he advised Butcher not to play for a fortnight. Mariner is doubtful for the game against Notts County, beaten 4—0 at home by Liverpool in midweek, but Thissen is fit again.

Southampton have sourned two

opinion in Scotland which may prevent a move away from

This time, though, the pressure from the pro-summer lobby is more intense and could bring the

midwinter shutdown a step nearer.

Ceitic get down to the serious

Useffic get down to the serious business of defending their premier Division championship again today after being rudely interrupted by the weather. During the six-week freeze they could only sit back and watch Rangers, courtesy of their undersoil heating, whittle away a healthy seven-point lead to three.

Billy McNell the Celtic man-

on the transfer list and Baker will probably make only his second appearance since October. Either Price or Lacy will also in midweek, but Impsen is it again.
Southampton have spurned two chances to climb on to the peak for the first time in their history but, in the unlikely event of United and Ipswich failing, they could succeed at the third attempt by winning at Middlesbrough.
Williams, out of favour with Lawrie McMenemy, has been put make a rare appearance, their third and first of season respectively, for Tottenham Horspur at Everton. Injury has already ruled out Roberts, whose shin was cut by his own colleague, Falco, on Wednesday night, and suspension may follow. He is to see the

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Ray Kennedy: he changed his shirt in midweek. disciplinary commission on Tuesday.

"Insurmountable " difficulties in transfer talks have prevented Nicholl, on loan to Sunderland from Manchester United, from playing in the relegation issue at Wolverhampton Wanderers. Muuro, their captain, is also absent and their leading scorer may be received.

Chelsea may be forced to sell Stamford Bridge

Chelses, who bought their ground only 12 years ago, may be forced to sell it this year. Yesterday's annual general meeting of S.B. Property Company Ltd, the holding company which owns the London Club, heard that Chelses's delys are 15 m and Chelsea's debts are fl.6m and rising. Most of the money is owed to banks, interest charges were £205,000 in the last financial

The commercial development of Stamford Bridge is seen as the statutorn bringe is seen as the only way out. Viscount Chelsea, the club chairman, admitted that it is probable that the ground will be sold to a private company. Chelsea would then take a long lease on those parts of the ground they would still like to develop. Viscount Chelses said: "These plans are much more than just ideas. We are actively pursuing them, and by next June. I would hope to know which avenue we

point lead to three.

Billy McNell, the Ceitic manager, attempts to chart a fresh course towards the title against Aberdeen at Pittodrie, employing two of his youngsters in that aim.

Paul McStay, aged 17, and John Halpin, aged 20, played against Oneen of the South in the Scotlish Cru last week and convinced Mc hope to know worch avenue we are to go down.

Chelsea bought Stamford Bridge from the Mears family trust in 1970, before embarking on an ambitious rebuilding programme.
Only one of the four planned new stands was built however, and Chelsea, hit by inflation, high interest rates and a decline in playing performances, incurred Cup last week and convinced Mr McNelll that they were worth a second chance. "It doesn't worry me that they are being pushed in the pressure cooker so soon." he said. "They must face it some time and after the progress of some of my young lads last year I am expecting a similar response." playing performances, incurred debts of f4m. They only remained in business in 1976 because their chief executive Martin Spencer helped persuade creditors to agree

Aberdeen's Scottish international, Gordon Strachan, may play after all. He was almost ruled out on Tuesday but has made a remarkable recovery from a leg Mr Spencer said yesterday:
"We were in trouble long before
all the current talk about football strike too deeply into the sup-porters' resources. Three games a week is far too great a drain."
Changes have been resisted in the past and there is still a variety of Premier Division. clubs going bankrupt, but we are now also suffering from the prob-lems which are besetting everyone

reorganized and smaller league, and clubs run by businessmen, with managers involved only in coaching and not in finance. But whether the league is restructured or not, Chelsea's continued involvement in it will almost certainly mean their becoming tenants at Stamford Bridge.

out in fine detail before we si around a table with a developer, Viscount Chelsea said. "Becaus

Viscount Chelsea said. "Because it will be a major step and we would have to be stere of negotiating the best possible deal.
"The only way ahead is to develop the ground. You only have to walk around it to see how much empty tarmac and unused space these is."

Chelsea made a profit of £33,000 on a tumover of £1.3m in the year ending June 30, 1981, but would have made a loss had they not sold players. Four members of staff—presumably including Geoff Hurst, who was manager until April 1981—received salaries of between £20,000 and £25,000.

two games by an FA disciplinary commission for reaching 20 points. He can play in Cheisea's FA Cup fourth round, second replay at Wrexham on Monday. The Southampton midfield a pastroor souron Tolky salved one-match ban at the hearing for reaching 20 points. His suspension begins next Tuesday and he misses the first division bome game against Manchester City on February 6.

keep pace with giants

From John Baliantine
La John, California, Jan 29
Johnny Miller, freshly recovered from his £250,000
triamph in Africa, and Frank
Funy Zoller, the surprise 1979
Masters champion whose back
"bothered him" in the chilly
weather yesterday, tied with 65
on the easter 6,667 yard North
course after the first round of
the San Diego Open.
Californian Mark Lye, with a
66 on the 7,002 yards South links,
where the first 35 boles will be
played this weekend, was pertiage the real leader, while Tom
Watson on 67, and Jack Nickleus
on 69, along with Britain's Nick
Paldo, 69, and Peter Oosterbuis,
70, were strong contenders.
Nickleuss, playing the South

Peddo, 69, and Peter Oosterbuis, 70, were strong contenders. Nacidans, playing the South course with George Burns and Tom Kite, was elightly shorter from the tee than the gient Burns, who gives the impression of cracking a mage whip when he swings, but longer with the irons. Both men were consistently yards longer from the tree than the diministive Kite, their three balks often forming neat triangles in the middle of fairways, Kite's half marking the spex at the back.

half marking the spex at the back.

It was extraordinary, however, how often Kite managed to equal their scores, the 501-yards 18th being typical. Kite had to lay his second shot up well short of the pond guarding the green, while Burns hit the distant putting surface easily with a two iron. Nicklaus who had slightly pushed his drive, was stymied a fraction by a tree, and also got a free drop as he was standing in a chalk-ringed drainage area.

He made an agonisingly slow and meticulous analysis of the situation, checking and rechecking the "line", flicking up bits of grass to test the wind's direction, and possible aerodynamic effect, before approaching the ball with that iminitable stalking stride, swinging his one iron between finger and thumb as lightly as a walking stick before hitting the mightiest of blows up onto the green, perhaps 231 yards. Both he and Burns two-putted for birdies, Kite getting his with a beautifully flighted pitch to 12ft plus one of his smooth putts.

Another highlight was the 377-yard fifth, where they splattered their approaches like broken eggs around the flag and holed for three birdies, Nicklaus from 12 feet, Burns from eight, and Kite from two.

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Spain try again for grand prix

whose race was struck off the 1982 calendar because of unpaid debts to racing teams, had now paid these debts.

He said the FISA Formula One he said the FISA Formula One commission would shortly study whether the race should be awarded, making it the 17th in the championship this season, or whether it should be only a reserve in case another race was not held.—AP. Snooker

Kite's flights Higgins whistles past Charlton

his quarter-final match against Eddie Charlton, of Australia, before a packed audience at the Wembley Conference Centre in the Benson and Hedges Masters tournament yesterday. Higgins won 5—1 in one of the easiest marches he could have expected in the defence of his title.

Evaluations his faiture to in the defence of his title.

Explaining his failure to appear at two exhibition matches fauling the week, Higgins said:

"It was nothing blatant. It was just a skip and the fault was mine". He added that after he had played John Virgo in an exhibition match at Cambridge last Saturday he did have difficulty returning to Manchester because of had weather and then lost touch with the things he had to

touch with the things he had to do.

That familiar cavalier suproach and spontaneous stroke making still make Higgins the greatest attraction in the professional game. He set out yesterday to consolioste, a task facilitated by Charleon's inability to contain him. Higgins admitted that he did not deserve to win the first frame. "Eddie kept missing and letting me in," he said.

A rather boisterous crowd began to witstile and cheer Higgins as he moved inexorably on to victory but Charlton too had his share of encouragement. "I feel guilty when I get the lion's

feel guilty when I get the lion's share of the applause", Higgins said, "but I need people. It helps personal pride. I think I am en the way back and I am very hopeful for Sheffield". This is the venue for the world cham-

12 feet, Burns from eight, and Kite from two. Faldo began with two birdies, faltered to reach the turn in a level par 36, but had three more birdies in an excellent inward 33 (3,4,3, 4,4,4, 4,2,5). Oosterbuis got home in 34 with two twos, and a two over par six at the seventh.

Motor racing

plouship which starts on April 30. Higgins regards Wembley as a terrific venue. "I always do well here," a remark justified by the fluency of his play and the breaks he made. He won the fifth frame with two visits to the table, making 54 and 74 without allowing Charlton a chance to score. Charlton and the same drawn largel at ton might have drawn level at 2—2 but after leading 51—19 he missed yet another red and Higgins moved in to make a break of 57 which ended on the pink. The best of Charlton was seen in the second frame which he won with breaks of 33 and 34.

in the second frame which he won with breaks of 33 and 34. Steve Davis, the world champion, meets Tony Meo in the semi-final round today. Meo, who, like Davis, is managed by Barry Hearn, met the world champion in the English final at Fladen Hill near Birmingham, last year and Davis won a somewhat one-sided match. Meo has improved beyond recognition since then. proved beyond recomments.
On Thursday night Davis qualified for the semi-final round with a 5-2 victory over the Welshman Doug Mountjoy, the man he beat in the world championship final at Sheffield lest April. Mountjoy has slowed down considerably since then and in this match could not keep pace with the fluency of Davis who made few mistakes.

Mountjoy won the second frame

by wiping our a delicit of 45 points to level the score, finishing with a break of 43. But his safety play did not pay off in the third frame when Davis teized his chance to compile a break of 102. He was on a possible 136 which would have equalled the record held by Meo and Terry



Davis led 3—1 at the interval but Mountjoy fought back to reduce the lead with a break of 47, but Davis was irrepressible in the last two frames and emerged a comfortable winner.

Swimming

Miss Croft can sprint clear for clean sweep

From Ashole Still
Amersfoort, Jan 29
England's Yorkshire Bank squad looks poised for its most successful stortie to the annual three-day Speedomeet, which opened here this evening. East Germany and the United States have named what appear to be largely experimental teams, thereby leaving particularly the women's events with a very open look.

The sprint specialist June Croft (Williams Wasps) should certainly capitalize on the absence of the handful of freestylers in the world, who are capable of giving her a decent race these days. She could well become the only competitor in the history of this meeting to win all four gold medals in the 50, 100, 200 and 400m freestyle events.

Miss Croft is in quite exceptional form at the moment, having broken the British records for all the above distances at the recent short-course Gainsville International in Florida, where she also won a 200m and came within 1.1sec of the world record.

If she is to be denied a clean sweep, then it will probably be due to the late addition of Ina Beyerman to the West German team here. Miss Beyerman narrowiy defeated the off-form Lancashine girl over both 200 and 400 metres and the European championship last September and, being a distance specialist, might still prevail over eight lengths. tournament, FISA announced here today.

Jean-Marie Balestre, the president of motor racing's governing body, said the Snanish organizes.

It was not been common ground of 200m should provide the slim "Wigan wisp." with additional solace for those disappointing

still mystify and annoy her.
Our 17-year-old breast-stroke

Basketball EUROPEAN COMPETITIONS: men's tamptons' Cup somi-final fifth series: Zerizan Beigrade beat Barcelona Women's Champions' Cap: Quarter-final: iffth series: Pagnossin (tuly) beat Red Star Bolarde, 105—74; Sparts Praha beat Agon Disseldorf, 90—72,

performances in Yuzoslavia

(Leeds Central), should figure in two of the most high-quality events of the weekend. He might well repeat his memorable victory of last year in the 100m sprint, but to do so he will have to defeat the Americans Riches Gill (63.20), and John Moffett (63.98)

Moorhouse, himself, was only tenth (64.13). but I still fancy him to win once again. He revels in long-course racing, with its emphasis almost entirely only the presence of the redoubtable Russian, Robertas Zhulpha, the Olympic champion, which seems likely to prevent the immensely talented young Yorkshireman from scoring a notable double.

double.

Miss Croft and Moorhouse will, undoubtedly, spearhead the English challenge, but they will be ably supported by Maria Scott (Fleetwood) and Stephen Pouher (Williams Wasps) in the medleys, Gaynor Stanley (Williams Wasps) on breast-stroke, Nicola Fibbens (Batfield) in the 50m freestyle and Jauet Osgerby (Williams Wasps and Pouher on butterfly, all of whom are capable of contributing to a final medal tally well beyond last year's record total of 10.

MEN: 1800 metres freestyle: 1, y

Rackets/Real tennis

The double beckons **Nicholls**

By Roy McKelvie

Mark Nicholls won the Army Mark Nicholls won the Army real tennis championship, beating Michael Joynson by 6—1, 6—1, 6—1 in the final at Queen's Club yesterday. Today he defends it is rackets title against David Reed-Felstead, a former holder. These two will then oppose each other again in the regimental doubles final between the 4/7 Dragoon Guards, Nicholls and Charles Wright, and the Blues and Royals, Reed-Felstead and David Hardy.

Since his Cambridge University

Since his Cambridge University days when he blasted his contem-poraries through sheer strength and a natural eye for a moving ball, Nicholls has learned some of the arts of real termis. He showed some rice touches and restraint against Joynson, who might be likened to a stylish batsman who has difficulty in making runs. It was not until Nicholls led 5—I and 40—0 in the first set that Joynson gained the correct out of the street. the first set that Joynson the service end of the cour Both Nicholls and Felstead won their ser round rackets matches, round rackers matches, easily showing themselves in a class above the other competitors.

Nicholls outbit Giles de Lotbiniere by 15—2, 15—2, 15—0.

Reed-Feistead outplayed Alastair Drew by 15—11, 15—0, 15—5 after the loser had led 11—5 in the first game.

Badminton

Tennis

Mottram: a new attitude after collecting his money

would never be able to win the crunch points in important matries. That became obvious to me when I lost to 'Higgy' after leading by a set of days ago."

Mottram dislikes the lonelines Delray Beach, Florida, Jan 29 Christopher Motiram had earned, or perhaps collected is more appropriate, \$6,000 when his essociation with the WCT Gold Coast Cup townsament came to a predictable end here last night. It was, even by today's grossly

It was, even by today's grossly inflated standards, a remarkable reward for losing to José Eligueras on Tuesday and for partnering Eric Van Dillen, of America, to a 7—6, 6—4 defeat at the hands of Australians Peter McNamara and Paul McNamee last night last night.
For once Mottram was less concerned with the money than with what the tournament had

For once Mottram was less concerned with the money than with what the tournament had done for his attitude to the sport. He has admitted always that he plays tennis just for the financial rewards it brings, but as he collected his chreque and left for his next tournament in Denver, he said: "This week has made me realize that I must play more top events.

"To be honest, I do not really enjoy many of the tournaments, although I must admit that this one has been fantastic. I know now that my father was right when the cold me that if I did not play more big tournaments I

McEnroe still struggling

Philadelphia, Jan 29. -McEaroe and Jimmy Connors recorded contrasting victories last might as they continued on their ways to a meeting in the \$300,000 US indoor champion-

McEnroe, the top seed, struggled to beat the West German,
Rolf Gehring 5-7, 6-1, 6-4
and reach tomorrow's quarterfinal against the No 6 seed, Sandy
Mayer Convert the world was helped by a controversial call by the umpire Ron
Eich at 5-5 in the final set the t. Connors, the second who is aiming for a record fifth title, took only 57 minutes fifth title, took only 57 minutes 10 overwhelm Jeff Borowiak, 6-2, 6-0. Shaying mostly at the nets. Comors won nine straight games from 3-2 in the first set.

Now he meets Andres Gomez of Ecuador,
The title hopes of Roscoe
Tamer, the defending champion,
were ended earlier in the day by
the powerful serving of the little

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PHILABELPHIA: US Indoor Championship: Second round: 1US unless stated; J Convers best J Bonovies 6—2, 6—0; J McChambest R Cohning (WCLuddor) best P Remart. 6—2, 6—4; C Hooper best R Tanner 6—4, 7—6.—Agencies.

Squash rackets

Brumby gets on with it and no whingeing

Glen Brumby and Stuart
Davenport, two players from
down under who have based
themselves in England came
through to the final of the British
under 23 open championship at
Wembley on Thursday night.
Brumby, an Australian based
in Nottingham, beat Ricki
Hill, a fellow Australian based in
Beaconsfield 3—10, 9—6, 9—2,
9—6 wille Davenport, a New
Zealander also from Beaconsfield,
won 9—1, 9—5, 9—5 against Greg
Pollard.
Brumby's victory over Hill was Mothram dislikes the loneliness of overseas tournaments and was already dreading the prospects of Denver, an indoor tournament with limited practice facilities. "I get so bored shring in hotel rooms watching TV or banging around tournaments waiting for a chance to practise," he said. "That's why I haven't spent much time away from home in rerent years. "But I'm determined to stack it out this time in an effort to

Foliaro.

Brumby's victory over Hill was a trimmph of determination even though be is the favourite to win the tournament. A bad dose of athlete's foot has turned sceptic and he was doubtful that he would even be able to play.

Davenport's win over Pollard was popular with therrowd who had turned against the Australian had turned against the Australian after his quarter-final on Tuesday. Pollard was threatened with disqualification for persistent arguing on that occasion and this much by referee Mike Breckon. There was just one moment when Pollard seemed likely to crupt, after failing to retrieve a ball at 4—6 in the second game. **Come on, own up, who did that stupid tidictious little clap, be yelled. But nobody owned up and stares from the officials persuaded Pollard to get on with it.

Tennis

VINA DEL MAR (Chile): Quartergnais: P. Reboliedo beai P. Arraya (Peru) 6-4. Taird round: J. Filmi beat Drautes (Spein), 2-6. 5-3. 7-6: Z. Kuharaky (Bunsary beat Turce) (Frince), 6-4. 5-7. 6-4: C. Vaelin (France), beat Barma 6-2. 6-0: P. Feigl (Anstria) beat Paratra (Italy), 6-3. 6-4. 8-7. ROSEMONT: Women's tournament: Secund round: M. Navraniova beat R. Remoids, 6-2. 6-1: A Jacque beat K. Rinaidi, 6-3. frid; D. Fromholiz (Australia) beat L. W. King, 7-3. 6-2: W. Turnbull (Australia) beat W. White, 6-4. 6-3: B. Hanka (WG) beat M. L. Pjatck, 6-4. 5-7.

Ice Hockey

Channelling some strange stories from Guernsey

By Rex Bellamy
The oddities of Guernsey can
be bewildering in their diversity.
The fact that the Guernsey
Evening Press is published only The fact mar the Guernsey Evening Press: is published only in the mornings is not strictly relevant to our sports news. Nor is the fact that a pay rise for greenhouse workers provoked extensive front page comment. In such circumstances, though, it was easy to slip into a suitably receptive mood for the extraordinary little stories that popped up on the first day of the John Player Tournament.

Five competitors, Lisa Ople, Susan Devoy, John le Lievre, Reggie Holmes and Richard Mosley, came close to plunging the schedule into chaos because theye were stranded by fog on Alderney. Overnight accommodation was promptly reserved for them but the air strip was kept open, just in case, and eventually the fog lifted. All played and wou except for Miss Opie, who did not have a match. except for Miss Opie, who did not have a match.

In transit, le Lievre and Mosley had other things on their minds. le Lievre had been told on the telephone that his first opponent would be Jonathon Hibbs of Jersey. That rang a bell because Hibbs was the meiden name of le Lievre's grandmoher. By the time the players went on court

together—the first time they had established the fact that they met—they had established the fact that their fathers were cousing.

Mosley took some teasing because he had been drawn against lan Robinson, a familiar name because it is that of a player who is one of Mosley's regular sparring partners at their mutual base, Waiton Hall near Wakefield, What rotten luck, Mosley was told: a player 16 places higher in the world rankings had somehow slipped into the draw at the last minute. Mosley was relieved to learn that the law Robinson on court with him was somebody else: the best tennis player in Guernsey, but not the best squash player.

player.

The six men's seeds in action all won their matches and only Monibullah Khan lost a game—to Nigel O'Hagan of Surrey, aged 19, who will play full-time when, later this year, he finishes his apprenticeship as a joiner. It was entirely in keeping with the tenor of the day's news that the winners included the obviously Irish but Aylesbury-born Sean Flyan, who works at the Front de Siene club in Paris and coaches the French national team. By Guernsey's standards the eclectic Flyan is just par for the course.

Finland out of team event

event of the World Junior heamevent of the World Junior heam-pionships here from February 7 to 14. According to the secretary of the Singapore Squash Racqueta Association (SSRA). Major Haridas Nair, the Finns gave no specific reason for their with-drawal, but it was understood they were short of funds.

time the players went on court

make any changes," Major Natr Finland were in the first group Finland were in the first group together with Australia, Scotland and Hong Kong, while Nigeria are in the third group comprising Canada, Pakistan and Sweden.

Malaysia, England, West Germany and Ireland have been drawn in the fourth group, while the second group consists of hosts Singapore, Thailand, Wales and New Zealand.

Neither Finland nor Nigeria had The SSRA is also facing prob-lems from Nigeria: "We will stick to the draw that has been made, even if both countries do not take part. It is too late to vidual championship.

Skiing

Austrian hopes buried in soft snow

Schladming, Jan 29.—Austria's hopes of fulfilling their critical supporters' expectations at the world championship took a blow today when heavy snow forced the postponement of the men's combination downhill.

The weather seems certain to produce soft snow and the Austrian women's ream manager, Kurt Hoch, commented: "We were hoping for harder conditions. It could be difficult for us now. We will have to keep our fighting spirit."

The championship jury decided in mid-morning to delay the men's combination downhill, the first men's race of the programme, when snow which started early today showed no sign of abating. The jury at first announced it would be held tomorrow before the women's championship downhill, but later they said they hoped instead to run it on Monday, when the women's combination slalom is also scheduled. A final decision is expected later today.

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is expected later today.

The men's championship downhill is still scheduled for Sunday morning. Practice was also cancelled today as heavy winds swirled the snow around and reduced visibility to near zero.

The Anstrians had a poor beginning to the championships yesterday. In the Women's combination downhill Ingrid Eberle was 18th, Sylvia Eder, a 16-year-old with a World Cup victory this season, was 20th and Lea Soelkner, her team's best downhiller this season, was 24th.

Miss Soelkner, Miss Eder, Cornelta Proell and Sigrid Wolf will race tomorrow and if they do not do better than yesterday, there will be convergence in the

not do better than vesterday, there will be consternation in the Austrian camp.

After a week of good practice performances, Gerry Sorensen of Canada will go into the race as the favourite, but the conditions might not suit her either. Sorea-sen, 23, scored her first World Cup victory here last year and won downhills on successive days at Grindelwald, earlier this month on an icy track.

Latest European snow reports

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Cricket

Mud strip in green park incites the stone-throwers

SPORT

From Richard Streeton Kampur, Jan. 23 The worst fears in recent weeks bout the Green Park pitch here for tomorrow's sixth Test match have been proved right. The hearts of the England team, 1-0 down in the series, must have sunk as they saw the strip of rolled mud. There was not a blade of grass to be seen on the pitch, which lay shining in an otherwise richly grassed field and is clearly devoid of any bounce or pace.

bounce or pace.

There is every likelihood once again that first innings will be prolonged affairs, with India risking nothing. Ketth Fletcher, the England captain, admitted: "To be absolutely honest I think it will be very difficult to win. Once people get in for half an hour or so it is going to be difficult to get them out." Raman Subba Row, the England manager, did not wish to comment on the lifeless pitches prepared for the Tests, but it was obvious that his end-of-tour report will be strongly critical. There are even signs that many Indians are becoming bored with so much pointless cricket being played.

There were many empty spaces

There were many empty spaces on the last day both in Delhi and Madras in the third and fifth Tests of this series, when the games were dead. Nor has India yet faced the threat of one-day internationals though the series with England this season — the first staged in this country — has aroused enormous interest and will no doubt feature in all future touring team's intineraries.

A group of baseone Indian Test

touring team's intineraries.

A group of bygone Indian Test players were appalled when they saw the Green Park pitch today. "They are killing off the interest and giving the bowlers no chance," was Laia Amar Naith's view. Earlier this week Mr P. Sitaram, India's leading groundsman, who was also responsible for the Delhi wicket, was barracked and had stones thrown at him by spectators watching him and his staff working on the him and his staff working on the

happened to me before." he said.
"They shouted they did not like dead wickets and as a former Ranji Trophy bowler I do not like them either. They are too much in favour of the bassman, but I have to do what I am told."

Mr Sitaram would not say where his orders came from Taxon.

where his orders came from. Two Indian Board officials I asked said no specific instructions were sale no specific instructions were given to groundsmen, but both added that under the Indian sun a great deal of water and rolling was essential for pitches for fiveday games. They would not discuss whether any guidance was given about removing all the grass.

England have done all that they can to overcome the pitch by naming a side that includes five bowlers, among then both spinners, provided Botham is fit to bowl. His thigh strain has to bowl. His thigh strain has responded a little to treatment and he will have his thigh heavily strapped before the start and will play as a batsman in the hope he will be able to bowl later. Allott is recovering from his stomach upset and is included in the 12, but the setback had left him weak in the legs Dilley will play if Allott does not feel up to it.

The only other decision for England was whether Cook should win his first cap at the expense of Gatting and the selectors are persevering with Gatting.

sefectors are persevering with Gatting.

Both teams practised with remarkable zest today considering the nightmarish nine-hour journey they made together from Bhubaneswar yesterday. Their flight to Lucknow was delayed for four hours and the two-hour coach journey late at night from Lucknow to Kanpur through an area notorious for its dacoit killings seemed to take a long time, despite our military escort. killings seemed to take a long time, despite our military escort.

NEMA (From): S M Gameskar (copish), P Roy, D B Vergesries, G R Vissemeth, Vesitpal Sharma, Kagil Ow, A Mulhofm, S M H Kimeni, S Maden Lai, R D Shasht, D R Doeni Gopal Sharma.

ENGLAND (From): K W R Fletcher (captain), G A Goodt, C J Tavent D I Gower, I T Botham, M W Gatting, D R Delivy or P K W ABOU, K E Emburey, R W Taylor, D L Underwood, R G D Wills.

A cool customer in Australia's hot seat

Cricket Correspondent
Adelaide, Jan 29
Amid widespread speculation that
Greg Chappell was about to be
relieved of the captaincy of relieved of the captaincy of Australia, the Australian cricket board have taken the unprecedented step of saying in as many words that nothing could be further from the truth. In a statement issued here today it was said that the board wished "to reaffurn its confidence in Greg Chappell's ability to captain the Australian team". It added that should Chappell be chosen for Australia's forthcoming tour of New Zealand and be available for the captaincy he will certainly get it. certainly get it.

Chappell's fellow players respect him not so much for being a particularly good captain, which he is not but as a great hatsman

particularly good captain, which he is not, but as a great batsman and a cool customer, and for his vast experience. In Sydney earlier this week Chappell asked them whether he had their confidence and was assured that he did. Since arriving in Adelaide for tomorrow's third Test match for tomorrow's third Test match against West indies he had visited an eye specialist and been given the all clear. Speaking as an Englishman, I had hoped that he would lose the job, knowing that his one remaining ambition, apart from recovering his own form, is to regain the Ashes when England come to Australia will play three Test matches, it is intended that each day's play should consist of a minimum of 55 overs, which to some extent is the cantaincy will act as a sour. Whereas in england the selectors nominate the captain as well as choosing the team (before a tour choosing the team (before a that it is customary for them first to clear his name with The Test and County Cricket Board, as in the old days it was with MCC) here in Australia the board is presented with the team and left to choose with the team and left to choose attacked by Sir Donald Bradman their own capitain. Hence their on another issuer, Reuter restatement. The alternatives to ports. Sir Donald has criticized Chappell would be Marsh and Chappell over his decision to Hughes. Marsh would like the job but is an imptuous soul. Hughes has done it on two fast season. The attack comes in fast season. The attack comes in previous tours (to India during the Packer hiatus and in England last summer) but is happy enough to bide his time before getting it back.

Whether Chappell should have retained it after last year's infamous incident of the "sneak-er" in Melbourne, which he not only condoned but com-missioned, is of course another matter. When he goes to New Zealand in the second week in February he is sure to be reminded of that. New Zealanders are not nearly fond enough of their Australasian cousins to let him forget it. Even the Australian women's team now in New Zealand for their World Cup, have according to their captain,
Sharon Tredrea, been "getting it
rough wherever we go . . it
strarted the day we arrived and
hasn't stopped".

However what Australia need

However, what Australia need at at the moment, more than anything, is some runs from their leading batsman, and by issuing today's vote of confidence in him the board will hope to have encouraged him. They have also been discussing the itinerary for England's tour later this year, discipline in Australian cricket, over-rates and, I dare



Adelaide, Jan 29. — Australia will not resort to safety first tactics against the West Indies in chappen sain today that praying defensively was the last thing ou their mind.

Australia's captain said: "Playing for a draw would be the worst thing we could do. I'm pretty sure there'll be a result in this game and we'll certainly be appropriate to with the same and we'll certainly be appropriate to win a wear the same and we'll certainly be

Lities, J. Thomson, M. Malarne.
WEST MINES: G. Greenidge, D. Haynes, Y. Richards, L. Gomes, C. Lloyd (captain), P. Bacchas, J. Dujon, M. Holding, J. Garner, A. Roberts, C. Croft. — Router

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Bregawn should lead Dickinson charge

From Michael Seely With Little Owl being kept in reserve for next Saturday's £20,000 Freshfields Holiday Handicap Steeplechase at Kempton Park John Francome and

Handicap Steeplechase at Kemp ton Park John Francome and Bregawn must be a confident choice to land this afternoon's William Hill Yorkshire Steeplechase at Doncaster for Michael Dickinson. The Harewood trainer can also win the richest races at two other courses, the Tote Double Steeplechase at Cheltenham with Wayward Lad and the West of Scotland Pattern Steeplechase with Seamus O'Flynn.

After his five-length defent of Night Nurse in last Saturday's Peter. Marsh Steeplechase at Haydock Bregawn is impossible to oppose. This improving young steeplechaser was carrying 3lb more than his long handicap weight that afternoon, so even with his filb penalty he remains lemently treated. Sunset Cristo looked burly in the paddock before finishing third in the Haydock race. He will strip fitter today but has no chance of beauing Bregawn on the book.

Dickinson has elected to run Wayward Lad in the three-mile

week, but is sure to have benefited from that outing. Other likely stable winners on the Scottish course are Badsworth Boy in the Skeldon Handicap Hurdle and Donjill in the Crosshill Novices Steeplechase. The other strongly functed Dickinson runner is Basil's Choice in the Haig Whisky Novices Qualifier at Doncaster. For the connoisseurs the race of the day will be the Tote Treble Hundle at Cheltenham. This two and a half mile conditions race should not only provide. a significant pointer to the Schweppes, but should also shed light on the Champion Hurdle picture. Heighlin is taken to advertise his claims for both the course by hearing Pollardetown.

races by beating Pollardstown and Broadsword. Heighlin has all the ability in Heighum has all the abuny in the world but is a difficult horse to ride. At the last Cheltenham meeting the six-year-old cruised into the lead at the last flight of the Colt Car Corinium Hurdle, but was then left with nothing in reserve when the moody Derring Rose came storming up the final hill. Pollardstown, who finished second to Sea Pigeon in last year's Champion Hurdle, is another likely runner in the Schweppes

Dickinson has elected to run Wayward Lad in the three-mile one-furlong Tote Double Steeple-chase in preference to the shorter Tote Jackpot Steeple-chase, Lesley Ann is a formidable styper and will test Wayward Lad's stamina to the full. However, this much improved steeple-chaser is expected to take this in style en route to the Lambert and Butler final at Ascot.

At Ayr Seamus O'Flynn has Pay Related and the Irish challenger, Doubleusgain, to overcome in the day's most valuable race. Seaus O'Flynn was not all that impressive in his Catterick Bridge victory last



Easter Eel: Trying to repeat a previous course and distance victory in the Tote Jackpot Chase

2.45 TOTE TREBLE HURDLE (£4,588: 2½m) (9) Cheitenham programme 401 34-200 CONNAUGHT RANGER (CD) (J McCaughey) Mrs M Rin

Tote Double: 2.0 and 3.20, Treble: 1.35 2.45 and 3.55 [Television (BBC 1): 1.0, 1.35, 2.10 and 2.45 races) 1.0 WINCHMORE HURDLE (Div 1: novices: £1,587; 2m) (22)

1.35 TOTE JACKPOT CHASE (Handicap: £3,726; 21/m) (6)

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Cheltenham selections

By Michael Seely 1.0 Sindeble, 1.35 Snowshill Sallor, 2.10 Wayward Lad. 2.45 Heighlin, 3.20 Combs Ditch, 3.55 Rizzio,

3.20 BIBURY CHASE (Novices handicap: £3,220; 21/3m) (12 runners) od1-4
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CLURAMON (Lord Northampton) D Nicholson 7-10-8
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Avr selections

By Michael Seety
1,45 Badsworth Boy. 2.15 Wedded Bliss, 2.50 Seamus O'Flynn, 3.20 Little
Bay. 3.50 Donjill. 4.20 Ryecroff.

Ivan King poised to thwart Daring Run

From Our Irish
Racing Correspondent
Dublin, Jan 29
Daring Run, the ante-post
favourite for the Champion
Hurdle, carries top weight of 12
st in the Sweeps Handicap
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of a stone to Ivan King 100 much

ham he may find the concession of a stone to Ivan King 100 much for him.

These two fine hurdlers were involved in a close finish to the Erin Foods Champion Hurdle over this course and distance a year ago. Daring Run hot home half a length ahead of Ivan King on that occasion, although the runner-up was disqualified for having interfered with Pollardstown after the last hurdle. Bearing inmind that Ivan King has run some of his best races over this circuit, he has to be fancied to turn the tables on 101b better terms. He ran an excellent better terms. He ran an excellent trial then second to Orient Sunset, under 12st at Nass last

Saturday.

In the ante-post betting on the race the two best-backed horses yesterday in Dublin were Pearlstone and Twinburn. The former was brought down in a mele at the second last hurdle in the last [On ITV and BBC1)]

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Pane Ranger who was fifth a Fairyhouse was not at his be-He had earlier proved himself vastly improved four year on h winning a series of onlessed races in the auto Twinburn is something of mystery for he has had his

the Erin Foods Champion Hors two years ago, and recom-finished a well-beaten fourth. Passing Parade at Punchestown The only English challes kbalco, whose trainer.) Ekbalco, whose trainer ... Fisher, and rider David Go were both cleared at a Club inquiry this we

Club inquiry this week and Ekbalco's performances in the autumn. There is a line of firm through Passing Parade which puts him in with a fighting chance for he had Passing Parade a long way behind at Newbey when second to Heighlin.

Mick O'Toole reckons find Agent is an above average month but he looks to be a manual property of the property of the looks to be a manual property

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Saint Fillans storms in

By Michael Seely By Michael Seely

Ladbrokes are going to make a last-ditch attempt to save the Grand National. Ron Pollard, a director of the London firm, said yesterday: "We have paid £1.75m to the Walton property group during the seven years of our managament. We are having a meeting with Bill Davies, their chairman, in Liverpool on February 22 to see if anything can be done."

can be done."

At Doncaster yesterday Saint
Fillans, a Grand National entry, fillans, a Grand National entry, gained a dramatic victory in the Barnby Moor Handicap Steeple-chase. At the last fence My Buck looked to have the measure of Alick but fell. Alick then looked home and dry but John O'Neill then brought Saint Fillans with a storming last run to snatch the race out of the fire. "Jonjo said

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mile from home but then got in second wind", Maurice Camacha, the winning trainer, said. The horse is entered at Aintree but rather inexperienced at this stage of his career.

rather inexperienced at this stage of his career."

The highlight of the day was the gallant victory of Gaye Brief in the Rossington Main Norices Hurdle. Sam Morshead sent the five-year-old to the front at the second last and he battled on for strongly for Ryeman and Luig, the favourite.

"Gaye Brief will go for the Panama Cigar Final at Chips stow", Mercy Rimell said and

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an New Zealand where Australia will play three Test matches, it is intended that each day's play should consist of a minimum of 95 overs, which to some extent is a reversal of Australia's refusal in England last summer to fall in in England last summer to fall in with the TCCB's proposal for 100 overs a day. As a good round number, and because it smacks of no concession, 100, weather permitting, should still be England's aim.

Chappell has also been attacked by Sir Donald Bradman on another issuer. Reuter re-

order his brother Trevor to bowl underarm against New Zealand last season. The attack comes in

last season. The attack comes in a souvenir programme for Australia' tour of New Zealand starting next month.

The article refers to the underarm incident at at the climax of a World Series Cup match as a blot on the spirit of the game which no apology from the Australian captain could erase. The release of the article has raised press speculation of a fend between Sir Donald and Chappell, but Sir Donald was quick to deny such suggestions in today's Melbourne Age newspaper. He said: "I'm disgusted with the way the story has been presented. It is pure folly, after rubbish, to suggest that I am feuding with Chappell."

from Chappell

the third and final Test starting here tomorrow. The Australians need only a draw to clinch the series 1 — 0 after winning the first Test in Melbourne but Greg Chappell said today that playing

going out to win as we always do.

"What we must do is put in a
consistent performance over five
days because against a side as
strong as the West Indies one bad
day can cost you a Test match."

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Adem Craig, 10 Shimy Copper, 16 Neet, 20 Others. 2.35 WILLIAM HILL YÖRKSHIRE CHASE (Handicap: £8,618: 3¼) (9)

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11-4 Professor Plum, 3 Ultrar, 11-2 Tower Moss, 6 Hopeful Swor, 8 Socks, 10 Deer Mount, 12 White Heron, 16 others.

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Windsor selections By Michael Seely 1.45 Veleso: 2.15 Hopeful Answer. 2.45 Desert Hero. 3.15 Persian Warderer, 3.45 Nookie Beer, 4.15 Ray Carles.

## Why the red rose of Lancashire has the scent of victory

By Peter West Rugby Correspondent

When North Midlands play Lancashire at Moseley this after-noon in the final of the county about in the final of the county championship, sponsored by Thorn EMI, we shall see the close of a rugby era. It will be the last match conducted under a system—the fourth since the oldest of English rugby competitions was mangurated in 1889—which has been used for more than 60 years.

With effect from part second

which that been then next season the event will be restructured to comprise 27 counties in four leagues, on a promotion and relegation basis. At lunch-time today a draw will be made to determine how the eight teams already listed to compete in each of the three top echelons will be assunged in preliminary matches. Northmeterland won the title in their centenary season last year and Lancashire now aim to borrow a leaf from the Geordies' book and do the same in theirs. They must be grantful to Northmeterland for giving them the opportunity. They suffered a nasty hicrough when losing the Roses match at Headingley, but Yorkshire subsequently came unstuck at Gosforth and the red rose acquired its bloom again.

Lancashire will guard against Lancashire will guard against complacency but by any token must be regarded as favourites must be regarded as favourites to win the title for the minth time since the Second World War and the twelfish in all. It is difficult to see how their star-studded back division can be denied.

Steve Smith, John Carleton and Mike Slemen are current England dimensationals. Tony Bond is knocking on the England door again after his rugby career was put in jeopardy by injury two seasons ago. The former Irish full back, Keven O'Brien, fits well into Lancashire's wide-ranging

Cornish clubs are not the force they were when I was a young man—chiefly because of the de-clining economy, which caused,

and causes, so many promising Cornishmen to seek their fortunes

apalong. But they are still capable of striking an unexpected blow now and then, and Cam-borne, who have been enjoying

norme, who have been enjoying a good season (only twice beaten until last night) were not without hope in this merit table match: nor were Bristol without anxiety. However, Camborne were taken

However, Camborne were taken thack by a vigorous Bristol start.

Their dreams of climbing Cara Brea were soon changed into nightmares of dropping down the shaft at South Crofty mine. Bristol won by six goals, three tries, and a penalty goal to

They were ahead in a couple

of minutes with a try by Carr, which Cue converted. After five minutes Morley scored their second, and Camborne still had

Rugby League

the persons of William Beaumont and Jim Syddall, an England squad member.

Against this array of talent North Michaels muster a team

Against this array of talent North Midlands muster a team with few names trumpeted abroad, yet with a commitment and an espris de comps made evident when they cocked their snook against a more exalted, cosmopolitan Middlesex in the semi-final round.

Its mainspring is Les Cusworth, the Leicester stand-off now restored to No. 2 in England rankings, who inspired them to a conclusive, if unexpected, victory over Gloucestershire on the same ground in the 1978 final. Thisteen of the side are Moseley men, by no means all of them first team members, and one of those is Derek Nutt, a No. 8 playing his first championship match this season. Nutt was appointed county captain before the season started but missed all the preceding county matches because of a cartilage in jury.

North Midlands will have John Goodwin, aged 18, making his county debut on the wing and Trevor Corless, their seasoned prop, making a farewell bow after his 49th game for them. Corless long since has left behind the county appearance record set by his elder brother, Barrie, a former England centre. Trevor will retire at the end of the season after a 14-year career with Birmingham, Coventry and Mossley which took in six England trials and a place in the West Midlands ream which beat the All Blacks in 1972. Midlands team which beat the All Blacks in 1972.

Cusworth's hand remains on the tiller in spite of Nutr's return, and who knows what this

put in jeopardy by injury two seasons ago. The former Irish full back, Keven O'Brien, fits well into Lancashire's wide-ranging supproach. The stand-off, Peter Williams, and the centre, Tony Wright, are England B men.

If the Lancashire pack is not the force it was in the days of and confident full-back.

It was the speed of Bristol's

borne, they could not adjust

to it. Before half time, while

Mitchell was off the field-he

was replaced by Morgan. Stiff

scored a try when the Bristol

forwards decided to join in the

fun, and this was also converted.

Cornish dreams crumble

before Bristolian reality



Les Cusworth: An inspiring stand-off for North Midlands

asserts that Cusworth asserts that the status of underdogs suits his side well because it will put all the pressure on Lancashire. These are brave words. Yet Lancashire surely will have to play some way below their best to lose.

NORTH MIDLANDS (Moseley, unless stated): I Metcaire: M Fissen, D Shorrock, R Lawson, J Goodwin; L Cusworth Letester, Laplain). S

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## The Northampton dentist gets drilled for the Cup

By Peter West
Having postponed the choice of
their side to play France until
tomorrow, the Welsh selectors
will be well represented at St
Helen's today when Swansea meet
Pontypool in the third round of
the Welsh Cup, sponsored by
Schweppes. At least one man with
his point to make will be the
Pontypool lock, Steve Sutton,
who was a replacement when the
Welsh pack were given an who was a replacement when the Welsh pack were given an unconfortable ride by Ireland Cardiff cannot play Llanelli, who have a cup tie against the junior club, Llanharran, so meet Waterloo instead. They are without Gareth Davies, who was mijured in the Davilin international, but they have John Scott playing his second game of the season—on this occasion to the season—on this occasion, to the satisfaction of 'England's selectors; in his rightful position

fun, and this was also converted.

So it was 31—0 at half time. Camborne now had the better of the wind, but it never looked like doing them any good. There were further tries by Harding, Rudd, Morley and Siiff. Cue converted two of them, the chief interest being that Morley scored his 252nd try for the club, overtaking that fine winger, Mike Ellery. Morley has well deserved his years of success with Bristol, as Ellery did. In both cases one can say that they have appealed not only by their skill but also their demeanour.

Poor Camborne! That they can Poor Camborne ! That they can David Caplan, a former hay better than this, I know. Rugland full back, returns to second, and Camborne still had not got their boots, or their thoughts, off the mindy ground. They bucked up for a few minutes sufficiently to warn Bristol not to relax Bristol heard the warning, and after a quarter of an hour. Carr scored again, though this time Cue did not kick the goal.

Camborne went further behind when Cue kicked a penalty, needlessly given away. After half an hour Moriey stored again, Cue converting. Zut they came up against Bristoll in a dominant mood and never set for on the slopes of their famous hill.

BRISTOL: P Cas: A Morley. J Walson, 3 Carr. A Rudd: D Sorrell, R Harding: J Dominday, K Boglira, A Shruherd, M Baker, N Pomphrey. P Suif, M Rafter, R Hestord.

CAMBROUNNER, M CONTROL B.

Games in hand may help Leigh make up lost ground

recalled Iau Lutter, a former schools international lock who has played no senior rugby for three years. Lutter stands 6ft 8in and is reported to weigh in a 20st.
Gosforth embark on another of

their long journeys, on this occa-sion to the Wasps, without either of their first choice wings. Jim Pollock is in the Anglo Scots XV facing South of Scotland in an inter-districts match at Roehamp-on Stava Guetard remainton. Steve Gustard remains troubled by a leg injury which kept him out of the side when his club beat Bedford in the Cup last

week.

Cup commitments have impelled Cardiff to withdraw from their fixture at Bristol on February 13. Bristol have asked Exeter to plug the gap and reflect ruefully on the first half of the season in which they have taken take 5.700 which they have taken only 65,700 at the gate. Thirty per cent of that accrued as a result of Lianelli's visit. The visit of Exeter Saturday home games arranged before the end of March.

Crowe to captain the past season and a helf he has turned out for Stamford, where he practises as a dentist.

The "Saints" will be glad to have him honed in time for their John Player Cup he against Leicester next month.

For today's match they have Brooks (Heriford) as secretary.

## Duran out to sweeten his own sour legend

Boxing Council light-middleweight champion. Wilfred Benilez (Puerto Rico), mects Roberto Duran (Panama) here tomorrow in the most important bout of their careers. Duran has said that he will quit if he loses this bout. If he wins he is ready for a third tilt at the undisputed welterweight champion, Sugar Ray Leonard, of the United States.

the United States.

This will be Benitez's last fling at 154lb; his next target, which he wants to reach swiftly, is the undisputed middleweight title held by Marvin Hagler. Benitez and Duran, who are among the top 10 in the world in all weight divisions, meet a Caesar's Palace over 15 rounds in

Caesar's Palace over 15 rounds in what should be one of the best title contests for many years. Benitez is a superb counterpuncher and an excellent defensive boxer, while Duran, who tarnished his reputation when he quit against Leonard 14 months ago, is a relentless pressure fighter, devastating inside.

Duran, aged 30, is in superb Duran, aged 30, is in superb shape—the best since June, 1980 when he beat Leonard; and Bentez, who is 23, has for the first time prepared with a month's training and is extremely

starp.

"I have to beat Duran if I want to go for a fourth title," Benitez, one of only six men to have won professional world championships in three weight divisions, said "I want to be the first person to win four titles. I want to beat Arguello there". The only other active boxer to have won three titles is the WBC lightweight champion. Alexis nave won three titles is the WBC lightweight champion, Alexis Arguello, who is considering moving up a weight. Beniter added: "I've been having trouble making weight. Middleweight is my natural weight. Duran, who will become a three-weight champion himself

ing on Benitez but that Leonard was his ultimate goal. Leonard, who once said he probably would not meet Duran regardless of how he performed against Benitez, now says that if Duran wins, the public demand it and the price is right, he will agree to a deciding match.

if he bests Benitez, has been unusually relaxed and confident and has even spoken a little English in public, a language he is not supposed to understand or speak. "I made weight early", he said. He has a history of making any weight limit. "It makes me feel happy."

Duran said he was concentrating on Benitez but that Leonard

Duran also knows that a win here will probably force the public to hold him again in the esteem which evaporated when he surrendered in the eight round against Leonard, claiming stomach

Rentez, born in the Bronx, raised in Puerto Rico and living in Orlando, Florida, has a 42-1-1 record with 26 knockouts. This will be his second title defence since he deshroned Maurice Hope, of Referin last May. Duran, who also lives in Florida, has a 74-0-2 record with 55 knockouts. He is the former world lightweight and WBC welterweight champion.—Reuter.

Hope bout off again. For the second time in three weeks Maurice Hope, Britain's former world light middleweight thampion, has pulled out of a bout at the Albert Hall, London, because of influenza. He has not boxed since Wilfred Benitez deprived him of the world title in Las Vegas last May and should have met Reg Ford, of Guyana, on February 9 in a contest postpoded from January 21.

Hockey

## Draper back on parade for RAF at Cranwell

By Sydney Frisin Buckinghamshire, in their quest for lost laurels, have drawn heavily on the resources of Slough for their home match against Worcestershire. Taylor in goal and Khehar in the middle line are certain to play and there is just the chance that Barber may be pulled out of his well-carned rest after his excursions in Bombay to play Yorkshire grit will be put severely to the test tomorrow when they meet the Royal Air Force in the preliminary round of the county championship, spon-sored by Rank Xerox. Three members of their team, Yardley, O'Hara and Copeland, have to travel long distances before they get to RAF Cranwell for the But the two Partington brothers, Ken and Steve, will be playing for Worcestershire, who are certain to give Buckinghamshire a hard match. Worcestershire expect great inings from Maller, who toured with the England side in Anstralia but did not go to Bombay.

These players have to assist Sheffield in the postponed qualifying round matches of the indoor club championship at Maidenhead today and although Maidenhead today and although these games are due to end at 5.0 there is no guarantee that they will end then.

The good news for Yorkshire is that Norman Hughes, the Eugland captain, is shle to play for them. He will take up his position at right midfield, Rowlands moving to the left of the back row. Rowlands has recently been included in the Scottish

een included in the Scottish caining squad.

The RAF announced yesterday that they would be up to strength, the good news for them being that Draper and Old, who were not available for recent matches. are back in their ranks. They inwith Hedley and Bates as centre strikers and Channa and Bales, the captain, operating on the wings. Their corners will, of course, be struck by Draper.

will be playen tomorrow at white inigiton Park, Bowdon. A win for Cheshire will make them northern champions but a draw will be enough to take them into the national rounds of the county championships. Lancashire need

bay to play.

#### 'suspension' **British times** lift confidence

Bobsleigh

By Ronald Faux
There is guarded optimism
in the British bobsleigh camp at
St Moritz, where the two man
senior British championships take
place this weekend. Mo Hammond, the team manager said
that in practice the teams had
been averaging a creditable limin been averaging a creditable 1min
12. Seers down the track. There will be 23 teams competing today and tomorrow and fighting for a place on the British team for the world championships that are to be held on the same track next weekend.

weekend.
Good training times have been put in by Jonathan Woodall, the British captain, who is paired with Paddy Bredin, "Gomer" Lloyd and Peter Brugnani and Mike Pugh with Alan Kearns.
It is unlikely that any records will be broken during the British championships because heavy snowfall has slowed down the track.

Horses to face

Cambridgeshire have made one change in the side to meet Devon at Fenners. They have brought in Peter White, who was not available for their last match against Suffolk, in place of Mark Kendall, who has gone to Zimbabwe. It was confirmed yesterday that Webber, their main striker, would again lead the attack.

Some controversial changes of rules were passed at meetings of the Turf Club and of the Irish National Hunt Steeplechase Com-National Hum Steeplechase Com-notitee, as well as a joint meeting of the two organizations, as the Curragh yesterday.

The headquarters stewards are now authorized to ban a horse from racing for a period of up to three mouths if he has not run on his merits or if "the was not the angels to run". The mark-

on his merits or if "he was not fit enough to run". The maximum fine would now be £1,000 should the stewards decide that "any complaint, objection or appeal made to them or referred to them, has been made faivilously, without good grounds. The ban on artificial insemination has been strengthened by an extra rule emphasizing just what kind of service is necessary by the stallion before a foal can be registered at the Turt Club. Many of the annual fees have been increased. A Dublin businessman, Dennis McCarthy, remains in office for a second term of three years as senior steward years as senior steward
Other racing, page 22

Rugby Union
CLUB MATCHES: Bristol v Cheltenham: Redrigh v Nession Abbot.
MIDDLESEK CUP: Third round:
London New Zealand v Old Gartonians: Old Mandonians v Lembury.
Fourth round: Civil Service v Metronolitan Police: Richmond v St Mary's
Collego: Saracens v Wasps; Unper
Capton v Ruistip: Wembley v Old
Merchant Taylors; West London Instititle v Old Milhillans.

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## Weekend fixtures

By Keith Macklin.
While the championships leaders, Widnes, might appear to have much in hand with a six-

have much in haud with a six-points lead, their advantage is put into perspective by a look at the number of matches comple-ted. Leigh, in second phace, have played 16 matches, three fewer than Widnes, while Hull, third, have only completed 13 league games, six bettind Widnes. With an even bigger backlog are the sixth placed team, Hull Kingston Rovers with only 12 games com-pleted.

Leigh are in excellent form at the moment and playing well enough to make up lost ground with their games in hand. Widnes

Kick-off 3.0 unless stated. First division

Arsenal v Leeds ..... Coventry v Brighton ..... Everton v Tottenham ..... Ipswich v Notts County ...... Middlesbrough v Southampton .. Nottingham F v Stoke ...... Swansea v Manchester United .. Walsall v Oxford U ...... West Ham v West Brom .....

Second division

Chelsea v Shrewsbury ..... oldham v Bolton ...... Tranmere v Scunthorpe (3.15) ... Rotherham v Watford ..... Wrexham v Orient .....

DURHAM CHALLENGE CUP: Second round: Horden CW v Essing-ton; Taw Law v Ferryhill John Dec: Chester-le-Street v Willington.

CENTRAL LEAGUE: Bolton & Hud-dershield (2.0): Burnley v Wolver-hampion (2.0): Liverpool v Asion Villa (2.0): Manchester United v Coventry (2.0): Pression v Nottingham Farest: Sheffield W v Dorby: Stake v Everton: West Bromwich v Newcastis (2.0): Peron: West Bromwich v Newcasis 2.0).

FOOTBALL COMBINATION: Birningham v Swindon: Norwich v Erisch Rovers; Oxford United v Fulham; P. Rangers v Luion: Southampton Reading: Tolicaham v Plymouth.

Siponed: Watford v Chelson.

MIDLAND LEAGUE: Alfreion v Midding 2.15; Ashby v Shepshed (2.15; Ciper v Heaner: Bridlington v Long alon (2.15: Brigg Town v Boston 2.15; Eastwood Town v Mexborush: Hoston v Arnold (2.15; Skrpsted 1.5; Skrpsted 1.5; Skrpsted 1.5; Skrpsted 2.5; Skrpsted

SENIOR TROPHY: Second reply: Alma Swanley v Brent

Third division

Bristol Rovers v Reading ..... Gillingham v Preston NE ..... Hudderstield v Burnley ...... Scottish first division Plymouth v Brentford ...... Hamilton v St Johnstone ......
Portsmouth v Southend ...... Rearts v Motherwell ......

Wolverhampton v Sunderland .. Fourth division Blackpool v Darlington ..... Scottish second Bournemouth v Halifax ..... division Barnsley v Cambridge United ... Bradford City v Hereford ..... Blackburn v Cardiff ...... Bury v Mansfield (3.15) ...... Hartlepool v York City ...... Crystal Palace v QP Rangers .. Northampton v Wigan A ...... Derby v Sheffield W ..... Peterborough v Stockport ..... Grimsby v Chariton ...... Port Vale v Rochdale ..... Scottish Cup
Luton v Leicester ..... Sheffield U v Hull City ..... Second round Newcastle v Norwich ....... Torquay v Colchester (7.30) ....

NORTHERN LEAGUE: Blyth Spartans v South Bank: Whittey Bay v Blahop Auckland; Whittey v Evenwood: Penrith v North Shields: Shillon v Ashington: Billingham v Crook: Ferry Hill v West Auckland; Consett v Bpennymoor (all 2.15).

Spennymoor (all 2.15).

ISTHMIAN LEAGUE: Premiler division: Barking v Slough Town: Harrow Borough v Bullericay Town: Hendon v Bishop's Sloriford: Hitchin Town v Borcham Wood; Staines Town votes w Laytonstone and Illord. Flat division: Bognor Regis Town. Fell sidenhead United (at Waterlooville): Cispinon v Farnborough Town: Fellham v Tübury: Hampion v Avriev; Herliord Tübury: Hampion v Avriev; Herliord Tübury: Hampion v Avriev; Herliord Tübury: Home v Wokingham v Tübury: Corinthian Casuals v Tim Town v St Alban's City. Scott Town: Form: Corrithian Casuals v Tim Town: Corinthian Casuals v Tim Town: Easibourne United Town: Finchicy v Latchworth G.C.; Horsham v Harwich and Parkeston, Rainham Town v Basidon United: Worthist v Epping Town: Chertsey Town: United Strong Town: Chertsey Town v United: Policy Hartelied United: Rockett Cort Town v Horier Town: Hoddesden Town v Rulstip Manney Esselv Semior Trown v Rulstip Handeldon Town v Rulsti Manor.

SESEX SENIOR TROPHY: Semifinal: Wivenhoe v Heybridge 12 01.
OXFORDSHIRE SENIOR CUP: Easinglin Species Cibrings

making his first senior appearance, will be a 20-year old forward, John Milmer.

Leigh will have their attacking centre Bilsbury back after injury, and are also expecting Tavern and Wilkinson to have recovered from last weer's injuries from last week's injuries.

Hall, having lifted the John Player Trophy last week, are in the mond to bear anyone at the moment and will hardly fear the challenge of St Helens who have

Scottish premier

East Fife v Berwick
Stenhousemuir v Stranger

Stirling A v Montrose ......

Albion v Inverness Clach .....

Cowdenbeath v Gala Fairydean ...

Allog v Ayr

Brechin v Dundee U .....

Clyde v Meadowbank .....

WESTERN LEAGUE: Premier division: Barnstagie v Melksham (2.45):
Bridpart v Welton Rovers; Chippenham v Weltington; Clandown v Dawilah; Devi264 v Bidelord (2.45); Prome
v Falmouth: Keynsham v Saltash
(2.45); Portway B v Mangotsfield;
Weston-sapor-Mare v Clovedon.

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BERKS & BUCKS SENIOR CUP:
Third round: Burnham v Wycombe
Wandprers: Million Keynes City v
Flackwell Heath.
SURREY SENIOR CUP: First, round:
Carshation Athletic v Camberley Town;
Dorking Town v Croydon; Epson &
Pwell v Tooling & Micham United:
Leatherhead v Ash United; Metroponian Police v Suffon United: Redall
v Merstham; Woking v Kingstonian.

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Volleyball
NATIONAL LEAGUE: Women: First
division: Kelly Girl Internationals v
Birmingham Solution International Rev.
Hillingdon v Speedwell Recentor 6;
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Adventor (6; 20, Waterside Farm);
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proposition than the task awaiting Leigh at York.

Widnes will be without their club chairman roundly castigated them at a recent team meeting. Great Britain full back Burke, but this is balanced by the fact that Wigan will be without Glyn. Hull will be without their suspended captain. Stone, and St that Wigan will be without Glyn. Helens are making late checks on their hooker Liptrot and forward forward signed from Widnes. He is suspended and in his place.

The judgements of the discipling the first senter ameear-The judgements of the disciplinary committees have severely handicapped Warrington at Bradford. Warrington will be without Bevan, Eccles and Commingham for whom Mike Kelly, Webb and Fieldhouse deputise. Northern, who have placed their talented young stand-off half Hanley on the transfer list at £70,000, have shown a recent resurgence of form and will expect to win narrowly at Odsal.

Fulham are having a desperately

hard time of it. As they struggle for survival in the first division they are reduced to 16 players to choose from for the visit to Castleford, one of whom, Reg Bowden, their player cosch, has a cartilage operation next week. Ganley and Eckersley are also injured, and Fulham have had to recall their three-quarter Radbone, who has been on loan to Blackpool Borough.

In the second division the outstanding fixture is at Ninian Park, where the City side entertain the current league leaders, Oldham in a match which could give a much needed boost to attendance figures. Cardiff will be without Paul Ringer, who was another victim of the disciplinary committee.

Alliance Premier League:
Airincham v Keitering: Bernet v Scarborough: Bach v Runcorn; Boston
United v A.P. Leamington; Darriord v
Weymouth: Eafleid v Gravesend;
Northwich Victoria v Meidstone;
Stafford Rausers v Trowbridge: Telford
United v Dogenham: Worcester v
Frickley: Yeavil v Barrow.
SOUTHERN LEAGUE: Middland division: Alvectionth v Bedford; Barry v
Redditch; Bedworth v Merthy Tydni;
Bridgend v Bromagrove; Cambridge:
City v Gioncester: Chelmham v
Wintey Town: Corby v Stourbridge;
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Chelmsford v Folkestone; Cantorbory;
Dover v Tombridge: Frenant Town v
Waterioovilla: Hagings v Welling
United; Hilfingdon v Aylesbury;
Hounslow v Dunstable; Salisbury v
Addientone and Weybridge; Thanet
United v Poole.

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Redhill; Windsor and Eton v Cheshum;

(2.0): Leyton-Wingale v Barton

Revers: Shortwood United v Sholing

Sports (2.0): Forest Green Rovers v

Odd Down; Brockmhurst v Molosoy.

ARTHURIAN LERGUE (2.15): Pre-ARTHURIAN LEAGUE (2.15): Premier division: Forosters v Chigwellians; Lancing v Wellingburlans; Malvernlans v Cholmelelans. First division: Aidenhamians v Harrovians; Bradfeldiens v Wesiminsters; Reptonlane v Salopians.

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NATIONAL LEAGUE: First division
(8.0): Cantabrica Kingston v Sunder-land: Ovalitine Heme! Beneviteed v
Crystal Palace: Lade Birchwood v
Solent. Second division: Bradfurd Mythbreakers v Bruner Uxbridge (7): West Brom Kestrels v Camden (7): Milion Keyma Travelodge v Notling-ham (6,30). WOMEN: First division: Stocknort Thoroglase v Colchester Tigers (6): Crystal Pelace Toppy's v Nottingham (6.30).

Ice Hockey SCOTTISH LEAGUE: Fife Fivers v. Ayr Bruins (7).
ENGLUSH NATIONAL LEAGUE: Billingham Bombers v Altrincham Aces (6.50): Blackpool Sespuils v Durham Wasps (8). 6.50: Blackpool Sezeulls v Durnam Wasps (8). BEN TRUMAN CUP: Northogham Panthers v Streatham Redskins (6.16). SOLIMULL CUP: Solthull Barons v Avon Arrows (6.15). Lacrosse NORTH OF ENGLAND LEAGUE:
First division: Ashton v Sheffield
Linv: Cheadle v Old Waconians: Old
Hulmelans v Old Sippfardlens: Timperiev v biellor: Urmsion v South
Manchoster & Wythenshawr.
SOUTH OF ENGLAND LEAGUE:
First division: Cambridge Unit v
Koknton: Croydon v Bushbust IIII:
Lee v Hampstead; Hijgroft v Purier.

COUNTY CHAPA-IONSHIP: Final:
North Midnads v Lancishire (at Moseley) (2.80); GLUB MATCHES: Arr v Gordonious (2.48); Bath v Northamton: Bedrord v Rosslyn Part; Birksheed Park v Cass Kuy (2.50); Bridgend v Glorosser; Cardiff v Waterioo; Cownty v Abertillery; Edinburgh wanderers v Bovoughnut (2.45); Exter v Masses (2.30); Gizmonyan Wanderers v Tredegar; (2.45); Exter v Masses (2.30); Gizmonyan Wanderers v Tredegar; (2.45); Exter v Masses (2.30); Gizmonyan Wanderers v Tredegar; (2.45); Exter v Masses (2.30); Gizmonyan Wanderers v Tredegar; (2.45); Exter v Masses (2.30); Gizmonyan Wanderers v Tredegar; (2.45); Exter v Masses (2.30); Gizmonyan Wanderers v Tredegar; (2.45); Exter v Masses (2.50); Lancholm v Cardina (2.45); Lendon Fish v New Brighton (2.50); London Fish v New Brighton (2.50); London Woish v Leicester (2.50); Mainten Gizzger v Northern (2.30); Noste v Newfordge; Notthern (2.30); Oxford University v RAF (2.50); Pilchmond v Saccens (2.50); Spenichan (2.50) v Vale of Lune (2.50); Watspa v Cosforth (2.50); West of Scouland v Broughlion Perk (2.45); West of Scouland v Broughlion Perk (2.45); West of Scouland v Broughlion Perk (2.45); West of Scouland v Broughlion CHAMPIONSHIP; Anglo-Scous v South of Scouland (at Rochampion).

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LONDON LEAGUE: Beckenham v
winnbiedon; Cambridge University v
Teddington; Duiwich v Puripy: Guidford v Cheam: Hampsteed v Surbinon;
London University v Blackheath: Oxford Survey: Stough v Spencer.

PAST LEAGUE: Premier division:
Pedford v Wost Herts: Blucharis v
Bishop's Stortford: Cambridge City v
Norfolk Wanderers; Cholmsford v Bedfordshire Eaglos: Ipswich v Norwich
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SOUTH LEAGUE: Hampshire/
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Portsmouth and Southsea v Walton,
Kent/Susseex: Canterbure v Lloyds
Bank; Eastbourne v Old Williamsonigns; East Grinsiend v Sevenoaks;
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Bognor: Worthing v Anchoriana,
Middledex/Borks. Elects & Osao: Amresham v Courage: Banbury v Indian
Gymkhana: City of Oxford v Eastcote;
Goan v Aylesbury: Hayes v Sumbury:
Oxford Hawis v Lyons: Windsor v
Polyjechnic.

WOMER: Territorial matches (at

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> Rugby League
> First Division: Barrow v Fosthersione Rovers (2.30): Bradford Northern v Warrington (3.30): Casileton' v Fulham (3.50): Hull v St Helens: Leeds v Hull Kingston Rovers: Wakenield Trinity v Whitehaven (3.30): Widnes v Wigan: York v Leigh.
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Durham Wasps v Whitley Warriors
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Sespuls (7.15).
ENGLISH LEAGUE: SOUTH: Avon
Arcows v Cambridge University (7.30):
Richmond Fycrs v Oxford University
(6.40): Southampton Vikings v NotLington Farchers (6).
GLASGOW CUP: Glasgow Dynamos
v Dunden Rockets (6).
Basketball
NATIONAL LEAGUE: First division:
TCB Brighton v Crystal Palace (4):
John Carr Doncaster v Talhot Culidford (4). Sacond division: Camden v
Bollom Wenders (3).
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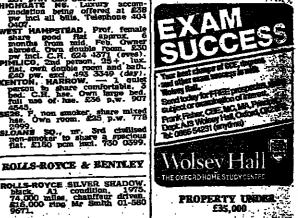
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9.05 Swim: Front grawl (r); 9.30 Swap Shop: With Stu Francis (from Crackerjack) and John Motson, the football commentator. Also, the James Bond car, 12.15 Grandstand: The line-up is: - 12.20 Football Focus (3ob Wilson); 1.45 News; 12.50 Racing from Cheltenham; 1.10 Skiing: World Alpine Championships; 1.25 Racing from Chellenham; 1.45 Basketball: ASDA national cup final: 2.00 Racing from Chellenham; 2.20 Racing from Leopardstown: Irish Sweeps Hurdle, live,at 2.25; 2.35: Racing from Cheltenham; 2.55 Athletics/Snooker and profile of Jane Torvill and Christopher Dean, ice-skating champions; 3.45 Half time scores; 3.55 More snooker.

4.00 Grandstand (continues); 4.35 Final Score.

5.45 Kung Fir. A renegade Confederate army officer kidneps two sons, one black and the other white. Caine (David Carradine) comes

6.35 Jim'il Fix It: A clean-up for the Eiffel Tower

8.05 The Les Dawson Show: New series begins. With Kids International, the singer Helen

8.40 Dallas: The mourning period over, J.R. is back to his old mischlevous self, and planning for his son's future. Meanwhile,

the ranch is suffering from neglect.

News: with Jam Leeming. And Michael

highlights from two of the day's Football League matches. There will also be

up of the day's main spong events. And there's the January Goal of the Month

interviews. Bob Wilson presents his round-

Innes thriller. Alec Hamilton (Ray Barrett), a mining engineer, that fled from Britain. In Australia, he becomes involved with a

Shapiro, and the violinist Rodney Friend,

who plays a duet with Mr Dawson (at the

parents are sent to bed; a meeting with a penguin; and some Greek dancing. All made possible by Jimmy Savite.

5.10 The All New Pink Panther Show: Three

5.40 Sports round-up. And regional news.

7.10 Narmy: A family worry, against the background of George V's illness and

death, with Wendy Craig.

Blakey's sports round-up.

10.45 Parkinson: chat and music show.

11.45 Golden Soak: Episode 3 of Peter Yeldham's adaptation of the Hammond

crooked mining promoter(r).

BBC 1 VARIATIONS: BBC Cymra/Wales 5.40-5.45 pm Sports News Wales, 12.35 am Westher, Scottand 9.05-9.30 am Mag le. Mag. Music and fun with Maggie Curringham. 5.40-5.45 pm Scoreboard. 9.45-10.45 Sportscare. 12.35 am News headines. Northern Ireland 5.00-5.10 pm Scoreboard, 5.40-5.45 Northern Ireland Nirels, 12.35 am News headines. England 5.40-5.45 pm Saturday Spotlight (South-West only). 12.40 am Close.

12.35 Weather forecast.

9.45 Match of the Day: Jimmy Hill introduc

10.10: Open University. Today's line-up of subjects is as follows:—Health Choloes: See-Saw; 10.35 Consumer Decisions: Turning on the Heat; 11.00

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angles. Open University programmend at 11.15. No further BBC 2. programmes until Saturday Cinema a 2.50. The film is Where's that Fire? (1939). Will Hay, about to be sacked from his fireman's job, is helped (?) by Harbottle (Moore Marriott) and Albert (Graham Moffatt) in one last effort to streamline the efficiency of his horsedrawn fire engine.

stional Snocker.

6.35

Protest and Survive: An Open Door programme which looks at nuclear disarmament News. And sport.

7.25 Did You See....? Studio

9.00 Cruel Garden: continued.

9.20 Film International: Duty Free

scheme to get round the Hungarian emigration lav

12.00 Film: Secret People: (1951)

European refugees who

anarchists. Starring Val

British-made thriller, set in

England in the 1930s, about

Cortese, Serge Reggiani and Audrey Hepburn, Directed by

Thorold Dickinson. Ends at 1.35em.

Marriage (1980) Hungarian-

Finnish comedy about a plan by

story of a student, Ranjit Watson, badly injured in a road

accident, and how he regained his will to live; 11.15 News.

two Hungarian girls to get the two runganan gurs to get men friends out of the country and into Finland where she can begin life with her new husband. Its's an elaborate

discussion on the week's television, including Preview, Muck and Brass, and The Last

8.05 Cruel Gerden: The Lindsay Kemp/Christopher Bruce ballet

inspired by Lorca's life and poetry (see Choice).

Resort. With T. Dan Smith, John Willis and Peter Davalle.

S 101 Preparatory Mathematics:

#### BBC 2 8.35 Sesame Street; with The Muppels; 9.35

Trunderbirds: puppets in space(r); 10.30 Tiswas: the noisiest show on earth; 12,15 World of Sport: The line-up is: - 12.20 On the Ball (lan St John); 12.45 Ski-ing: World Alpine Championships, from Haus, Austria, 1.15 News; 1.20 The ITV Seven: We see (from Doncaster), the 1.30, 2.00, and 2.35; from Ayr, the 1.45, 2.15 and 2.50; from Leopardstown, the 2.25. Introduced by Brough Scott and Derek Thompson; 3.00 American Football: This is the nearest the United States gets to Britain's Cup Final. It's the Super Bowl, from Pontiac Silvertrome. Detroit: Cincinneti Bengala versus San Francisco 49ers, There are some attractive cheerleaders on hand, too; 3.50 Halftime scores. '

4.00 World of Sport: continued. Wrestling, from Aylesbury. Bucks. One heavyweight and two calchweight bouts; 4.50, Results. 4.25 Film: Let George Do It* (1940) George Formby comedy, set in wartime Norway, with the 5.05 News from ITN. comedian mistaken tor a British agent. With Phyllis Calvert. 5.15 Happy Days: Marion;s nephew, a teacher,

gives Fonzie (Henry Winkler) a problem or two. 5.45 Dick Turpin: First on a new series, starring Richard O'Sullivan as the highwayman. Costarring Bryan Marshall as the local terror.
6.15 The Goodles: A dismal attempt to capture the tro's lost youth. Then they undergo a proficiency test.

3-2-1: The family game returns, with Ted Rogers still in the role of MC. Tonight's edition has a spece theme. Three couples compete for prizes. 7.45 Hart to Hart: A look-alike plots to take over Jonathan Hart's empire. With Robert

Wagner, Stefanie Powers. 8.45 News. And sports round-up.

9.00 Film: Slap Shot (1977); Tough, ice-hockey drama about a rundown team that goes to the top of the league when three dangerous new players are signed. Starring Paul Newman as the player-coach. Director: George Roy Hitt. 11.15 OTT: Tiswas for grown-ups. An amalgam of

sketches, stand-up comics and music, 12.15 London news headlines. Followed by: Johnny Carson's Tonight Show. With Itzhak Periman and comedian Charles

12.55 Close: with Gillian Reynolds.



Ted Rogers and Co: 3-2-1 (ITV, 6.45 pm)

SECRET PEOPLE (BBC 2,



Christopher Bruce in the ballet know something about Lorca the Cruel Garden (BBC 2, 8.05 pm) man and writer). And it is no help,

BBC 1

9.00 Heads and Tails; 9.15 Nai Zindagi Naya

Jeevan: for Asian viewers; 9.45 Good for Business (r); 10.10 Managing the Micro: new technology (r); 10.35 Business Club: new series

technology (r); 10.35 is usiness CRUD: new series. Small businessmen share their experienced; 11.00 see Heart For the hard of hearing; 11.25 Ensemble: French course; lesson 14; 11.50 Maths Help: for O-level students who need a lifeline;

programme (r); 12,15 Sunday Worship: from Bethany Baptist Church, Rhiwbina, Cardiff; 1.00

Farming; 1.30 Craft of the Weaver; 1.55 News; 2.00 Fign: Carry on Regardless (1961) Employment agency comedy. With Sidney James, Kermeth Williams and Co; 3.25 Bonanza; Old TV

4.15 Dr Finlay's Casebook. Return of the

5.05 Bugs Bunny: Two cartoons.

Episode one.

Cheltenham.

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accused of murder.

10.35 News: with Jan Leeming.

comedy.

12.10 Weather forecast.

popular medical series. First seen in 1965*

5.15 Stalky and Co: Kipling's famous public-school yarn, serialized by Alexander Baron.

5.45 So You Want to Stop Smoking: More lite saving tips from Dr Miriam Stoppard.

6.05 Holiday: Flotilla cruising around the Florida Keys; farm holidays in Denmark; the lovely

es between the Wye Valley and

5.55 News: with Jan Leeming. And weather

7.15 King's Royal: Scottish family serial.

Episode 4. Robert (Eric Deacon) is still determined to succeed with his whisky

8.05 Film: A Shot in the Dark (1964) Peter

9.00 Film: A Shot in the Dark (continued).

9.40 Omnibus: An extract from an hitherto

10.45 Choices: Personal dilemmas -- and how

some of them have been solved.

unperformed Mozart opera, Zaide; John Wells explores the world of Lewis Carroll; and Jacques Loussier plays the plano, and chats with Barry Norman.

Couples: Interview with a couple who have stayed logether for nearly 50 years, and a couple who have cohabited for stx years and have no intention to marry. Comment

from Professor Edward Shorter, author of

The Making of the Modern Family, and

11.45 Phil Silvers: Another Sergeant Bilko army

SBC1 VARIATIONS: BBC Cymms/Wales 2.0-2.25 pm Tommorow's World 2.25-2.55 Ticket to Ride. 2.55-4.15 Sports Line-up. 4.15-5.15 Finglen Hyerd Gwynniyn. 5.15-5.45 Grange Hill. 11.20-11.80 Troi'r Dal. 11.50-12.15 am Couples. Scottand 12.15-10 pm Morang Service firms Wiellington Church, Glasgow). 1.30-1.55 Agenda. 6.40-7.15 A Bridge of Hymns. 9.40-10.35 Spectrum: Bestroven's Fith Symphony. 10.45-11.20 Coast to Coast. 12.10 am News headlines.

Sellers as inspector Clouseau seeks to prove the innocence of a girl (Elke Sommer)

6.40 Songs of Praise: from All Saints,

12.00 Accident of Birth: Mental handicap

• CRUEL GARDEN (BBC 2. 8.05) is a filmed version of the Ballet Rambert production which was first staged in this country five years ago and subsequently taken on receitations of both its deviser, indsay Kemp and its choreographer and principe! dancer Christopher Bruce were considerably enhanced. In Colin Nears's film Mr Bruce again embodies the spirit of the Spanish poet and dramatist Federico Garcia Lorca, killed in unexplained ances during the Civil War. It is a complex work, both in structure (dance, mime, song, poetry) and in content (even with the spoken introduction, over still pictures, the elaborate symbolism the oathos of Buster Keaton (Lorca

ve you baffled unless you

either, that the spoken poems (not too well recorded) and the songs are in the original Spanish. As the ballet opts for such a stylised approach to its subject in terms of the dance, and English translation of Lorca's words would not have been there is much to praise in tonight's film in which the beauty and barbarity — the twin poles of Loren's vision of life - are underscored by Carlos Miranda's exotic music. Mr Bruce, in the several manifestations of Lorca, strikes some magnificent poses. But

BBC 2

10.10 Open University: Pre-School;

10.35 Energy in the Home; 11.00 Countdown to the OU; 11.25 What's

All About? Open University ends at 11.50am At 1.55: International Snooker: Part one of the final of the

Benson and Hedges Masters, from the Wembley Conference Centre. Live

coverage of the eight frame session.

More at 3.50. The conclusion can be

seen tonight, at 9.45, also on BBC1, 3.05 Horizon: The Sea Behind the Dunes. Fascinating film about animal life on the marshlands of Pleasant Bay on the New England coast of the

United States (previously shown last Monday); 3.50 International Snooker

delne competitions.

5.05 Rugby Special: The county

6.30 The Money Programme: Why

7.15 Two Nations: A special report on unemployment in Britain,

8.45 The Bell: Episode 3 of the Iris Murdoch story about a lay:

(Tessa Peake-Jones), (r) 9.40 News:With Jan Leeming.

9.45 International Snooker: The

Australian Film Sea

focussing on Preston, in

Championships, from Schladming. The Men's Downhill, Blue Riband of the

championship final, between North Midlands and Lancashin

M. L. Doxford the commodity brokers, went bust last month

Lancashire, which is losing its

image of a prosperous town and becoming a "two — nation" town — i.e. those with

jobs, and those without jobs. The reporter is David Henshaw

religious community. Young Toby Gashe (Michael Maloney)

is distressed at the sudden departure of Dora Greenfield

final of the Benson and Hedge

Odd Angry Shot (1979) Drama

about a group of Australian

soldlers, fighting in Vietnam. With the Special Air Service

regiment. It concentrates on

Graham Kenney and Bryan Brown. Directed by Tom

Band, with David Moore, solo

euphonium. Ends at 12.40 am.

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four men and their physical and

psychological ordeals. Starring

sa:The Templemore

4.20 Ski Sunday: World

From Moseley.

Leeming.

6.00 News Review: with Jan

12.00), tonight's Midnight Movie, is the Thorold Dickinson thriller which, though expertly made in the best tradition of Ealing craftmanship, did not set the Thames on fire (nor any other river, come to that). It is nbered today largely thanks to the book Making a Film which Lindsay Anderson wrote about it in the early 1950s. Thirty years later, too much of an artistic solecism. But it is still one of the most intelligent and comprehensive anatomies in the history of movie bibliography. Radio choice: The BBC Northern

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9.05 be Your own Bass: Henry Cooper, and the search for customers; 9.30 Lost Islands:

Shipwrecked children serial (r), 10.00 Morning Shipthrecked Children serial (1), 10.00 morning.
Worship: from Holy Trinity, Leicester; 11.00 Link:
A collage for deaf people, in Washington D.C.;
11.30 Stingray: puppet adventure series (1); 12.00
Weekend World: Will Tebitt's employment Bill lead

to confrontations with the unions. Interviews with Terry Duffy and others; 1.00 Police 5: with Shaw Taylor; 1.15 Cartoon; 1.30 Old Times: What is the

laylor, 1,15 Careour, 1,30 Old Times: What is to best tirestyle for old age? With Alastair Hetherington; 2,00 News headlines. And World Alpine Sid-ing Championships. From Scaladming The Men's Downhill; 2,30 The Big Match: Action

from three of yesterday's big League games; 3.30 Barriers: A shock for Billy (Benedict Taylor) when

4.00 Jaywalking: Sue Jay talks to Bishop Edward Daly, the Roman Catholic bishop of

4.45 Film: Cambell's Kingdom (1957) Drama.

7.45 The Fall Guy: Lee Majors plays the

follywood stunt man and crime

9.00 Airline:Drama series about a three-man airline business in the late 1940s. Their

10.00 Wood and Walters: Victoria Wood and

10.30 The South Bank Show: A profile of the Czechoslovakian film director Milos Formar

11.30 London News Headlines. Followed by: --

12.00 Police Surgeon: With Sam Groom as Dr

The Medicine Men: The Actress Kate

O'Mara and the veteran political journalist Lord Brockway sing the praises of a vegetarian diet in this film about

the Women's Institutes.

(see Choice).

naturopathy.

Simon Locke.

12.30 Close: With Gillian Reynolds.

only aircraft has crashed and the racket who finds them jobs (Terence Rigby)

threatins to take the plane away for screp. Then comes the offer of another shady job, a flight to the Netherlands to pick up some

airline boss and Polly Hemingway as his girl

war bocty. Starring Roy Marsden as the

Julie Walers play toddlers in a couple of

sketches which view life through a child's

eyes. Also, skits on beauty contests and

A Fine Romance: Laura mistakes Michael's

flat-purchasing enthusiasm for a proposal of marriage. With Judi Dench and Michael

4.30 Cartoon Time.

6.30 News from ITN.

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8.45 News from ITN.

licator.

Londonderry, on the linth anniversary of Bloody Sunday.

he investigates the explosion on his sailing boat.

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wrote a scenario for the great comedian, but it came to nothing) proves too elusive for him.

SO concert, including Mendelssohn's fourth symphony and Berlioz's Harold in Italy (Radio 3, 7.30 and 8.35); Paul McCartney's musical preferences in Desert Islan Discs (Radio 4, 6.15); and Breast High Amid the Com, a profile of Thomas Hood (Radio 4, 10.15pm).

Radio 4 6.25 Shipping, News. 6.32 Farming Today. 6.50 Yours Falthfully.

7.00 News. 7.10 Papers. 7.15 On Your Fame. 7.45 Yours Fatthfully

8.00 News. 8.10 Papers 8.15 Sport: First day of the final Test Sport: First day of the final Test between India and England; and news of the start of the Third Test between Australia and West Indies. Also com-ments on the Benson and Hedges Masters Snooker Championship; and Rugby Union

Union. 8.50 Yesterday in Parliament. 9.00 News. 9.05 Breakeway. 9.50 News Stand. 10.05 The Week in Westminster. Daily Service.† Pick Of The Week.† From Our Own Con

1.00 News.
1.10 Any Questions?
2.00 News.
2.05 Thirty Minute Theatre. Abide With Me. by Lols Fulkes, with Pauline Letts and Frederick Treve.
2.35 Medicine New.
3.05 Widdle.
3.30 The British Seaterer.
4.15 Feedback.
4.30 Does He Take Sucar? 4.15 Feedback 4.30 Does He Take Sugar? 5.00 Novels Up To Now. 5.25 Week Ending.† 5.25 Week Ending 7
5.00 News.
6.15 Desert Island Discs.†
6.55 Stop The Week With Robert Robinson.
7.35 Saturday Night Theatre. Welcome, These Pleasant Days, by Milchael Robson. With Elizabeth

Paul McCartney: Desert Island Discs (Radio 4, 6.15 pm)

Proted and Nigel Anthony,†
10.00 News.
10.15 Breast High Amid The Com.
11.00 Lighten Our Darkness.
11.15 A Word in Edgewys. Brian Rothead, with Eva Figes, Mary Midgley and the Very Rev Edward Patey.
11.45 On The Train To New Zealand.
12.00 News, Weather, Shiroping. bergamasques; and the Pou-fenc Flute Sonala. 1 11.00 Topett, J. C. Bach, Bartok, Giovanni Gebrieli. This is a Robert Mayer concert for children, direct from the Royal Festival Hati. The works include the first movement of Tippett's concerto for double string orchestra and the second part of Frank Martin's Petite Symphonie Concertante for Radio 3 7.55 Weather News

harp, harpsicherd, plano and double string orchestra.† Bandstand.† 8.05 Aubaus.; 9.00 News. 9.05 Record Review.; 10,15 Stareo Release: Faure, Pou-lenc. The works iniciude Forre's suite, Masques et 1.00 News. 1.05 Early Music Forum.†

1.00 Early Mass Forum. 7
2.00 Play it Again. 1
5.00 Jazz Requests. 1
5.45 Critics. The subjects to be discussed include Edward Bard's play Symmer, and Francois Truffsuf's fifth The Woman Next Door. Paul Balley is in the chair.

8.35 Paul Dezytop Julie Heber. 6.35 Paul Drayton, Julia Usher, Gordon Crosse † Gordon Crosse.†

7.30 Berlioz.†

8.15 F. D. R.: A Centenery Profile:
Professor David Adams.

8.35 Mendetssohn, Respight.†

9.35 Pevaner. A profile of Sir Nikolaus Pevaner, the pioneering scholar on architecture. Presented by Stephen Games.

10.20 Bach † 11.00 News. 11.05 Debussy †

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Merlin. 12.15 am Lale Call. 12.20

10.00 Eight Decades of Music.† 11.02* \Late Show.† 2.00 You And The Night. And The Music.† VHF 1.00-7.30*As *** *** Radio 1.

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Instrument Makers 2.37 Rhythm in Roots
3.00 Radio Newtreel 3.15 Saturday Special
4.00 World News 4.00 Commentary 4.15
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Commentary 8.15 Good Books 9.45
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Politics 10.00 World News 10.09 From Cart
Own Correspondent 10.30 New Ideas 10.40
Reflections 10.45 Sports Roundup 11.05
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1.30 Baker s Hall Dozen 2.00 World News
2.09 Review of the British Press, 2.15 Good
Books 2.30 Sports Review 3.00 World
News 3.20 News About British 2.65
Roes 3.20 News About British 3.15 From:
Our Own Correspondent 3.30 Rhythm in

ULSTER

As London except: Starts 10.00 am-

10.30 Stingray. 1.18-1.20 pm News. 5.00-5.05 Sports Result. 5.13 News. 5.15-5.45 Mr Merim. 7.45-2.45 Magnum. 11.15 Mork and Mindy. 11.40 Bedtime, followed by

CHANNEL

As London except: Starts 12.15pm World of Sport, 5.15 Mork and Mindy, 5.40-5.45 Puffin's Platice, 7.45-8.45

Fall Guy (Lee Majors). 12.15am

FRECUENCIES: Radio 1 MF 1053kHz/285m or 1089kHz/275m. Radio 2 MF 693kHz/433m or 909kHz/330m. Radio 1/2 VHF 88-91MHz Radio 3 VHF 90-92.5MHz, MF 1215kHz/247m. Radio 4 LF 200kHz/1500m and VHF 92-95MHz. Greater London Area MF 720kHz/417m LBC MF, 1152kHz/261m, VHF 97.3MHz. Capital MF 1548kHz/194m, VHF 95.8MHz. BBC Radio London MF 1458kHz/206m and VHF 94 9MHz. World Service

#### **REGIONAL TELEVISION VARIATIONS**

#### YORKSHIRE

As London except: Starts 9.00 am-10.30 Film: French Mistress (Agnes Laurent, Cecil Parker, James Robertson Justice). The arrival of an Houseson Jusce). The arrivar of an attractive new French mistress causes have at a boys public school. 5,15 pm-5,45 Mr. Merlin. 7,45,8,45 Mgmun. 12,15 am Thei's Hollywood: The fox Trots. 12,45 Closedown.

TYNE TEES

As London except: Starts 9.00am Cartoox, 9.10 Wheele and the Gropper Bunch, 9.40-10.30 Thunderbirds, 12.13pm-12.15 No. 5.15 News. 5.17-6.45 Mr Merlin. 7.45-8.45 Magrum. 12.20am Three's Company, Donald Butler tellics to Linda McCullough. 12.25 Closedows.

#### GRAMPIAN

As London except Starts 9.00 am Sesame Street, 10.60-10.30 Joe 90. 5.15 pm-6.45 Mr Merlin, 7.45-8.45 Magnum, 12.15 am Reflections, 12.20

#### **ANGLIA**

As London except: Starts 9.00 am Sesame Street, 10.00-10.30 Sport Billy, 5.15 pm-5.45 Mr Merlin, 7.45-8.45 Magnuss. 12.15 am At the End of the Day, followed by Closedown.

## TVS

As London except: Starts 9.00 Brief. 9.05 Sesame Street. 10.00 Here's Boomer: 10.30-12.15 No 73, 5.15 TVS News. 5.20-72.15 No 73. 5.15 TVS News. 5.20-5.45 Mr Merile, 7.45-8.45 Megnum, 12.15 Company and Closedown

## TSW

As London except: Starts 9.25 am The Saturday Show: Joss Cook and Ian As London except: Starts 9.20 ant Sabarday Showt. Joss Cook and lan Calvert with a surprise guest. 10.25 Survival: Purifies on Skomer Island. 10.50 Gus Horreybun's Magic Birthdays. 10.55 Incredible Hulk. 11.45 University Challenge. 12.12 pm-12.15 News. 5.15 Mork and Mindy. 5.40-5.45 Newsport. 7.45-8.45 Fall Guy (Lee Majors). 12.15 am Postsoript. 12.21 Closedown. Solderman, 9.40-10.30 Thunde 5.15 pm Bugs Bunny, 5.20-6.15 Chips. 7.45-8.45 Magnum, 12.15 am Lou Grant: Tribune examines its coverage of violence in sport. 1.10 Closedown. As London except: Starts 9.15 am Vicky the Viking. 9.40-10.30 Trunderbirds. 5.15 pm-5.45 Mr

As London except: Starts 9.10 am The Adventures of Black Beauty, 9.30-10.30 Thunderbirds, 12.13 pre-12.15 News, 5.14 Mews, 5.15-5.45 Mr Merlin, 7.45-8.45 Magrum, 12.15 am

#### HTV CYMRU/WALES

As HTV West except: 9.10 am-9.80 The Book Tower: Stephen Moore selects more books, 5,15 pm-5.45 Sion a Stan: First in a new series of the Wetsh quiz game for married. CENTRAL

## As London except: Starts 9.05am

Paint Along With Nancy: Still life, 9.30-10.30 Sesame Street, 5.15pm-5.45 Mr Merlin (Bainard Hughes), 7.45-8.45 Magnum, 12.15am Closedown. BORDER

As London except: Starts 9,35 ar 10.30 Thunderbirds, 5.15pm-5.45 Mc Medin, 7.45-8.45 Magniss, 11,15 Hear Here: Scottish entertainment with Juniper Green, 11.30 Clo

Richard O'Sulfivan in Dick Turpin (ITV, 5.45)

where an Ordnance Survey unit arrived in 1833 to translate Gaetic place names into English.† 9.00 Edmund Rubbra (last in series) Concert on records,†
9.50 in a Nutshell (series) by Barry

on (5) B-Movie Ma 10.00 Boccharini on record.†
10.20 The Organ Works of J. S.
Bach. Recital on the organ of
New College Chapel, Oxford.†

11.00 Nows. 11.05 The Talks Scholars Byrd,

## Radio 2

5.00 Nova. 5.03 Peter Marshall † with The Sunday Early Show Including 6.2 Cricket Desk. 7.30 Nick Page. † 9.00 David Jacoba † with Melodies for You. 11.00 Desmond Carrington † with Radio 2's All-Time Greats. 12.03 Paul Radio 2's All-Time Greats. 12.03 Paul Daniels † with his Magical Music Show. 1.30 Listen to Les † says Les Dawson. 2.00 Benny Green. † 3.00 Two's Best † with Len Jackson. 4.00 Sing Something Simple † with The Adam Singers. 4.30 String Sound † from the Radio Orchestra. 5.00 Comedy Classics: 'Dad's Army' starring Arthur Lowe, Clive Dunn and John LeMesurier. 5.30 Charlie Cheste with year Sandey. Seephor. 5.50 John LeMesurier. 5.30 Charlie Chester with your Sunday Scapbox. 6.30 Acker's 'Ali 'Our. Mr. Acker Bilk and his Peramount Jazz Bend. 7.00 Glamorous Nights. 8.30 Sunday Half-Hour from Rind-on-Sea United Reform Church, Chayd. 9.0 Your 100 Best Tunes. 10.00 Pop over Europe (a) The best of European pop. 11.00 Pete Murray's Late Show (s).† 2.00-5.00 You and The Night and The Music (s) with Liz Alien.

## Radio 1 8.00 Tony Blackburn with Junior Choice. 10.00 Noel Edmunds. 1.00pm

Elaine Joyce: Mr Merlin (some

ITV areas, 5.15 pm)

Jammy Savile's "Old Record" Chib. 3.00 Studio B15 with Adrian Love. 5.00 Top 40 (s) with Yommy Vance.† 7.00 The Record Producers (s) Leiber and Stoller † 8.00 Sounds of Jazz (s).f. 10.00 Close

**World Service** World Service

BBC World Service can be received in wester Europe on medium wave (6.68 km; 435m) at the following times (GRIT). 6.00 (Newsteek, 7.00 World News. 7.08 News About British. 7.15 From Our Own. Correspondent. 7.30 Chasteal 6**-eve*-Fleview. 7.45 The End of the Affair. 5.05. World News. 8.09 Reflections. 8.15 The Pleasure a Yours. 9.00 World News. 9.03-Review of the British Press. 9.15 People end. Polifics. 9.45 Sport. Review. 10.15 Twenfieth Century Folk. 10.30 Sunder-Service. 11.00 World News. 11.09 News 11.09 News. 1.00 World News. 11.09 News. 1.00 World News. 11.09 News. 1.00 World News. 1.09 Commentary. 1.15 Good Books. 3.25 Short Stoy. 1.45 The Send Jones Request Stoy. 2.30 Smash of the Day: The Newy Lark. 2.00 World News. 4.09 Commentary. 4.15 Front Our Own Correspondent. 4.35 Front Our Own Correspondent. 4.36 Letterbox. 9.15 The Pleasure. 9.00 News. 10.00 World News News. 6.09 Commentary, 8.15 Letterbox.
9.15 The Pleasure's Yours. 10.00 WorldNews. 10.09Science in Action. 10.40 Periodicines.
10.45 Sportscall 11.0795crig.
News. 11.08 Commentary. 11.15 Letter Kim.
America. 11.30Strictly Instrumental.
2.00World News. 12.03est News. About.
Bribsin. 12.15 Radio Newsreed. 12.50Refgloss Sportice. 1.00 The Ages of Man. 1.45.
Short Story. 2.00 WorldNews. 2.09 Review of the British Press. 2.15 Twentieth Century.
Folk. 2.30 The Red end the Back. 3.0 World.
News. 3.08 News about British. 1.15 The instrument Makers. 3.30 Anything Goes. 4.03.
Newsdesk. 5.45 Is Sin Out of Dale.

HTV

As London except: Starts 9.00 am10.00 Sesame Street. 11.30-12.00 BeYour Own Boss. New Series. 1.00 pm.
University Challenge. 1.30-2.00 West
Country Farming. 4.30-6.20 Film:
Easter Parade (Judy Gerland, Fred. 4.
Actaire). Irving Berlin musical. 5.38.
6.40 News. 7.15-8.15 Her to Hart.
11.30 Bizarre. 12.00 Closedown.

HTV CYMRU/WALES

TVS

As London except: Starts 9.10 House Communion. 9.30-10.00 Be Your Own: Boss. 11.30-12.00 Mr & Mrs. 1.00

University Challenge. 1.30-2.00 Farming Diary. 4.30 Chips. 5.25 Radio, 6.25 TVS News. 7.15-8.15 Hagt

Wolle, 12,30 Company and

et. 11.30 TVS News. 11.36 Nero...

As HTV/West except: 3.30 pm Oedta'r Pnawn 4.00-4.30 Barriers.

## **REGIONAL TELEVISION VARIATIONS**

### BORDER

As London except: Starts 9.30 am-10.00 Be Your Own Boss. 11.30-12.00 Gardening Time. 1.00 pm University Challenge. 1.30-2.00 Farming Outlook. 4.30 Border Diary. 4.35-6.30 Film: Blue Lagoon (Sean Streanonds, Donald Houston). 7.15-8-15 Llast in Llast 11.30 Closedown. Simmonds, Donald Houston). 8.15 Hart to Hart. 11.30 Clos

#### TYNE TEES As London except: Starts 9.00 are

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Link. 8,30-1,000 Be Your Own Boss,
11,00 Lookarund. 17,02 Kum Kum.
11,30 Fiving Kwi. 11,58-12,00 News.
1,00 pm University Challenge. 1,302,00 Farming Outlook, 2,30-3,30
Shooti 4,30 News. 4,32 incredible
Hulk. 5,30-6,30 Little House on the
Prairie, 7,15-8,15 Hart to Hart. 11,30
Then Ceme Bronson. 12,30 am
Epilogue. 12,35 Closedown.

## SCOTTISH

As London except: Starts 9.30 am Jaywalding, 10,00-11,00 Sesame Street. 11.30-12,00 Be Your Own Boss: New seried. 1,00 per Out of Town. 1,30 Ferming Outlook. 2,00 Cartoon. 2,15 University Challenge. 2,45-3,30 Glen Michael Cavalcade. 4,00 Michael Cavalcade. 4.00 World Alpine Sking Chempionships, 4.30 Scotsport, 5.30 Mr and Mrs. 6.00 Tell the Story, 6.15-8.30 By the Way, 11.30 Late Call. 11.35 New Avengers, 12.30 ass

## CENTRAL

As London except: Starts 9.30 am-10.00 Be Your Own Boss. 11.30-12.00 Gardening Time. 1.00 pm University Challenge. 1.30-2.00 Here and Now: Presented by Zia Motyeddin. 2.30-3.30 Star Socoer-tending by Ass. Newton. 4.30 histoduced by Gary Newton. 4.30
Fins: King of the Kinyber Rifles (Tyrone Power). British garrison in India is awed by a half-caste officer. 6.20-6.30 Cartoon. 7.15-8.15 Hart to Hart. 175-2 Tates a Thief (Robert Wanner) 12.30 am Closedown. Wegner), 12,30 am Closedown

As London except: Starts 9, 15 am Seachd Laithean, 9,30 Be your own boss, 10,00 The world we live in. 10,25 History makers: French

9.30am-10.00 Wild, Wild World of Animals. 11.00 Be Your Own Boss. 11.25 Asp Kas Hak. 1.00pm University Challenge, 1.30-2.00 Filmistones. 2.30-3.30 Match Time with Elton Welsby. 4.30-8.30 Film: Where the Spies Are (Devid Niven). British actor becomes involved in the dangerous world of international

## YORKSHIRE

As London except: Starte 9.00am Link. 9.25 Wild, Wild World of Animals. 9.55-10.00 am Bubblies. 11.00 Be Your Own Boss. 11,39-12.00 Farming Diary. 1.00 pm University Challenge. 1.30-2.00 Celendar. 2.30-3.30 Big Game, Introduced by John Helm. 4.30-6.30 Bhowari Junction (Ava Gardner, Stewart Granger) Love and Intrigue during the last years of British India. 7.15-8.15 Hart to Hart. 11.30 Johnny Casson's Tonight Show. 12.20em Five Minutes. 12.25 Closedown.

### ULSTER

11.00 Be Your Own Boss. New series. 17.00 be four Own Boss, new series presented by Henry Cooper, 11.30-12.00 Gardening Time, 12.58pm; News, 1.00 University Challenge, 1.3 2.00 Give Us A Clue, 4.30-6.30 Film; enge. 1.30 Day at the Races. (Marx Brothers) Chico tries his hand as a tout, 7.15-8.15 Hart to Hart. 11.30 Sports Results. 11.35 Bedtime, Closedow

Rencision. 10.45-1100 Sounds of Stan Barker. 11.30-12.00 Gardening time. 1.00 pm University Challenge. 1.30-2.00 Ferming Outlook. 2.30-3.30 Tarzan. 4.30 Scotsport with Arthur Montiord. 5.30-6.30 Chips. 7.15-8.15 Hast to Hert. 11.30 Reference. 11.35. Hart to Hart. 11.30 Reflections. 11.35 Barney Miller. 12.05 am Closedown.

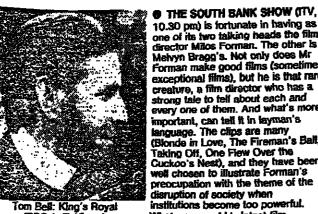
### **GRANADA**

# Skiing Championships. 5—00 Radio. 6.09-6—30 Diffrant Strokes. 7.15-8.15 Hawaii Five-O. 11.30 Bizarre. 12.00 Potscript. 12.06 am Closedown



Show (ITV, 10,30 pm)





Forman make good films (sometimes to very good use important, can tell it in layman's disruction of society when

z CHCHCE Regtime, indicates that he has put a huge amount of production money

SMOKING (BBC 1, 5.45) will subtract only 10 minutes from your sunday, but it could add a couple of produced, and acted, in the BBC's years to your life. And, in any case. Northern Ireland studios. Dr Miriam Stoppard, the weed-killer, is such that an attractive and persussive presenter that it would be churlish to let the lethal smoke wreathe the TV set as she throws us a lite-line.

in the 1830s of a British Army Ordnance Survey mission. Not so much a case of hands across the sea as fists, for it is an ancient culture that is being struck. A thinking man's play, this; and it will not spoil things if he happens to **O** OTHER RADIO HIGHLIGHTS: Ozawa conducting the Boston Symphony Orchestra in a performance of Bertioz's Symphonie fantastique (Radio 4, 8.00); and the Dorothy L Sayers profile by Vernon Sproxion (Radio 4, 6.15).

about the impact on County Donega

Radio 4. 6.25 Shipping Forecast, 6.20 Moming Has Broke 7,00 News. 8,00 News, including 8,10 Sunday

Papers.

8.50 Week's Good Cause. C. H.
Rolph sppeals on behelf of The New Bridge.

9.00 News, including 9.10 Sunday Papers.
9.15 Letter From Americ by Alistak Cooke.

cock.
12.30 The Food Programme
1.00 The World This

News.
2.00 News.
2.20 Gardeners' Question visits Gloucestershire. Tene

4.00 News.
4.20 Talking About Antiques. Arthur Nages discusses listeners

4.30 The Living World, 5.00 News. 5.50 Down Your Way.

with Johnny Monts. 7.30 Bookshell. Magazine gramme about books.

bus.

10.30 Music Weekly.†

long short story by Heinrich

**ANGLIA** 

As London except: Starts 9.30 am-10.00 Paint along with Nancy. 11.30-12.00 Be your own boss. 1.00 pm Cartoon 1.25 Weather. 1.30-2.00 Farming Clary. 2.30-3.30 Match of the week with Genry Harrison. 4.30 Incredible Hulk. 5.30 Portrait of a

Allage: Moreton; Essex. 6.00-6.30 Mr and Mrs. 7.15-8.15 Hast to Hart, 11.30

TSW

As London except: Starts 9.30 am-10.90 Link. 11.00 Be Your Own Boss: New series with Henry Cooper. 11.30-12.00 South West Week. 1.00 pm Hussen Face of China. 1.30 Farming News. 2.00 Fisheries News. 2.05-2.30

Serdens For All. 4.30 World Alpine

p. 12.00 Make Mine Music, 12.30

Radio 3 ...

8.00 News. 8.05 Collegium Aureum. Mozart, Haydn, Mozart; records.†

9.00 News. 9.05 Your Concert Choice. Record

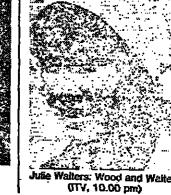
11.20 From the Proms. Concert recorded in August 1981, Part 1: Haydn, Marek Stachowski. 11.55 Words. Telk by Michael Neve

requests: Vaughn William Dittersdorf, Chopin (mono Schubert.†

# Clementi. Piano recital.† Translations. Play by Brian Frist. Set in County Donegal,

espionage: 7.15-8.15 Hart to Hart. 11.30 Parents and Teenagers. 12.00 Benson. 12.30am Closedown.





Tom Bell: King's Royal (BBC 1, 7.15 pm)

exceptional films), but he is that rare O SO YOU WANT TO STOP creature, a film director who has a strong tale to tell about each and every one of them. And what's more language. The clips are many (Blonde in Love, The Fireman's Ball, Taking Off, One Fiew Over the Cuckoo's Nest), and they have been well chosen to illustrate Forman's preocupation with the theme of the institutions become too powerful. What we see of his latest film,

10.30 pm) is fortunate in having as one of its two talking heads the film director Milos Forman. The other is

Melvyn Bragg's. Not only does Mr

TRANSLATIONS (Radio 3, 7.15) is the radio drama event of the month, it is Brian Friel's stage play

WHAT THE SYMBOLS MEAN: † STEREO

8.00 Music To Remember † Boston Symphony Orchestra: Berlioz. 9.00 Naws. 9.20 A Pair of Blue Eyes † by Toomas Hardy (finel part). Thomas Hardy (linet part).

10.00 News.

10.15 Great Families of Britain † A series of radio portraits (3) The Mobile House of Howard. 11.00 Epilogue. 11.15 leside Parliament. 12.00 News; Weather Report; Fore-cast. 12.15 Shipping Forecast, Inshore Waters Forecast.

9.30 Morming Service. 10.15 The Archers. Omnibus edition. Weskend.
Weskend the Day. Hencock's Haif-Hour starring Tony Han-

vants Gouceenstante.

2.30 Aftermoon Theetre † "Piracy" by Michael Arlen, dramatised by William Fox.

3.30 The Nightgale of the Wireless, Mayls Bennett talks about her

with Dirk Bogarde as the Englishman trying to fulfill his grandfather's dream of finding oil on his land in the Canadian Rockles. There's opposition from some dam builders.

6.40 Sunday Beat: Religious entertainment, with Frank Topping, Donald Swann.

6.15 An Enormously Definite Person: The Life and Times of Dorothy L. Sayers. 7.00 Around the World in 25 Years †

11.55 Words, Talk by Michael Neve (4). 12.00 From the Proms Part (2): Mozart, Tchaikovsky,† 1.00 Janacek, Berg, Brahms. Chamber nusic recital.† 2.00 Sauf. Oratorio in three acts by Handel; records. Act 1. 3.45 Saul Act 2.† 5.30 When the War broke out. A long short slovy by Helerich

GRAMPIAN

Walters: Wood and Walters

## Delicate touch of a fiddling virtuoso

SATURDAY JANUARY 30 1982

Close-up of the working parts of a horny-handed son of toil. For nearly 60 years these hands have worn themselves out fiddling. Note the eroded thumb and the finger-tips worn away like pieces of

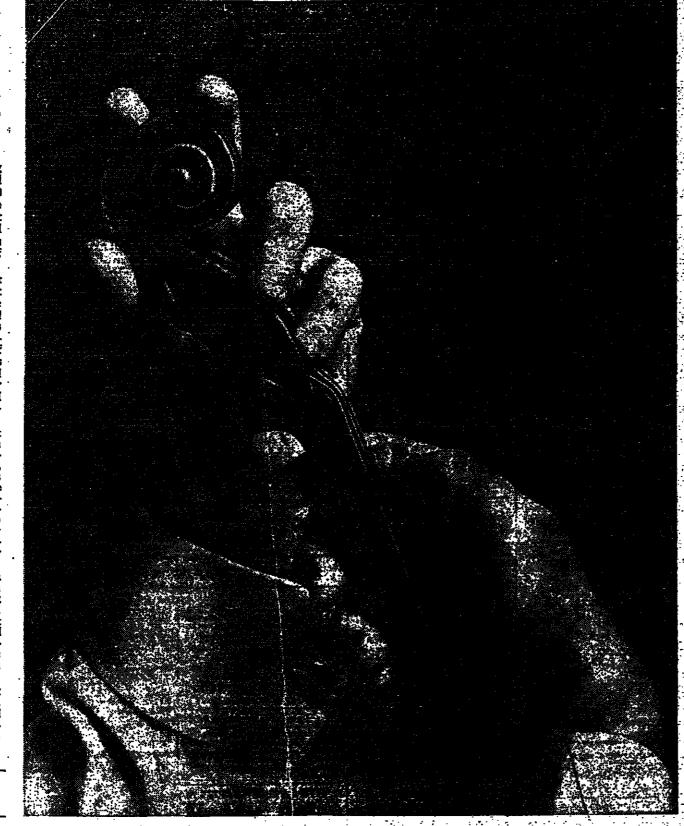
Is it not strange that producing the most spiritual ecstasy available in this wicked world should have such a gross material effect on the per-former? The picture is of Yehudi Menuhin's hands at rest for once, but still holding the instrument for which they were made and which is gradually unmaking them.

Yehudi made his debut at the age of seven with the San Francisco Or-chestra on February 29, 1924. It was in de Beriot's Scêne de ballet. He came through the terrible quicksands of being a wonderboy to become the virtuoso violinist who has probably poured out more unpunished rapture than any of our contemporaries.

He says: "Holding a violin is like holding a young bird. It is vibrating under your touch and you must hold it without squeezing it. It is a good thing to cultivate the feeling of those sympathetic vibrations in dealing with people."

Getting and spending we lay waste our powers. But not many of us spend our fingers in such a sublime cause as making the highest music.

> Photograph by Snowdon



## Baby case doctors get prison sentences

Munich Jan 23.—Dr Wilk Appel, the gynaecologist who admitted giving a lethal injection to a baby he considered deformed, was sentenced today to two-and-d-half years imprisonment for manakanghites. prisonment for menskinghter.
The court rejected, however, a prosecution demand that 47-year-old Dr Appel should be harred from practising for life. His assistant, Dr Bra-Maria Klotz, aged 29, who admitted filling the syringe, was given a one-and-ahalf-year suspended sentence on the same charge. She was also ardered to pay a fine of DM3,600 (£840) to a ocal children's home.

The two doctors were con-victed of lesser-degree man-slaughter. Normally manslaughter carries a semence of

slaughter carries a sentence of between five and 15 years.
Shortly before the countrevoked a decision that the two defendants be misd separately. Dr Appel's defence lawyer had said he wanted to call further witnesses, but then withdrew his application.

The case gross from a caesarian operation performed by Dr Appel last April on a swiman who was then about woman who was then about. St weeks premain. He said that the baby, a girl, had a massively deformed head, and he had not expected her tu live. He decided on the injection as "a release" after the haby had survived for more than an hour.

than an hour.

Dr Appel testified that he pressure by the child's parents in carry out the caesarian operation after scanning tests indicated that its head was

Judge Raimund Kraemer announcing the verdict, said that the offence could not be regarded as euthanasia, but as the extermination of a life decined to be unworthy of

Medical experts had told the court that the baby had micro-cephaly, a smaller head than average. But Judge Krasmer said that the mentally handicapped should not be treated any differently at birth simply because they looked different

Synopsis released in advance

# Unease over Polish TV spectacular

From Nicholas Ashford, Washington, Jan 29

Charleson Heston has not this will be some sort of song been in shiring a distinguished and dance show is wrong he said at it is a very savons sponsored television spectraction of the bedgeround of freedom. To remain passive is a buttoner. 
heather Scientar of West Cer-many Signor Grovanni Spado-lini of Indy, M Pierre Trudeau of Canada, and Mr Malcolm Freser of Australia The, showbir aspect of the \$500,000 (£267,000), pro-gramme of 90 minutes due to granme of 90 minutes due to be broadcast around the world on Sunday, is causing concern (more in Europe than in the United States) that it may trivialize rather than dramatize the plight of the Polish people.

Mr Dennis Healey has denounced it as Hollywood razmatsaze and it is still infection that it will get a full screening in Briain IIV has minded down the film and the BRC. Is reserving judgment until it sees the production. The project is largely the creation of Mr Charles Z Wick, a Californian millionaire whom President Reagan brought in to run American government information agency known as the United States International Communication Agency, or USICA, which is responsible for the project.

agency known as the conference this week.

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Bob Hope has been associated with every war in the list 200 years. Mr Wick joked.

USICA, which is responsible "Yes, we think it's appropriate We think that Bob Hope has been associated with every war in the list 200 years." Mr Wick joked.

"Yes, we think it's appropriate We think that Bob Hope entertainment, real estate and mursing homes and his film production of Snow White and Frank Smarrow other incompleted to inspire conference this week.

"Bob Hope has been associated with every war in the list it is appropriate." We think that Bob Hope has been associated with every war in the list it is appropriate. The first state of the project.

The Stores International area with every war in the list in the

helped to inspire confidence. Not has his choice of Martin-Paseita to direct the programme helped to allay force that is will be heavily larded with Hollywood schmalz. Paseita's main claim to fame is as the packages of the annual often awards night for the annual often awards night for the page of the packages. the past 11 years:

Mr Wick has rejected suggestions that the broadcass will be hearly Hollywood or

roland of roland in rotatical high-highes of the programme will be statements by Glencia Jack-ion, a marration of the history of the Solidarity trade enion movement by Mar von Sydow, the Swedish acrost and Orson Welles reading reflections on Freedom by Thomas Paine, Pericles and John Donne.

Pericles and John Donne.

Rowever, items 25 and 41 and 42 on the synoisis have raised eyebrows in Europe. The first inveives Bob Hope explaining how the programme wall cell suddences in the Communist block that the world stands by the Polish people.

Was it not politically insensitive to have Bob Hope on the programme, considering his association with the Vietnam war as a propagandist for the American Government a European journalist asked at a press conference this week.

the singer will make a brief statement on Poland and then a song he made years ago called Ever Romeward will be played white Polish land-scapes are shown in the background.

Wasn't there a grand Jury investigation against. Sinatra because of his alleged Maila outsite? Mr. Wack was asked. said, "but I dou't think it thanges everybody's concern for freedom ".

## THE TIMES INFORMATION SERVICE

#### Today's events

Exhibitions

The British Worker—photographs of working life, 1839-1939, Cartisle Museum and Art Gallery, Stanley Spencer in the Shipyard
—drawings by Stanley Spencer
and photographs by Cecil Beaton,
The Minories, Colchester, 11 to 5.

### ACROSS

I Exciting as the centuries I 1 Snail's shell, for example, can make (6).

4 Second part of race — sprint 2 Makes light work of passing residuals (8).

recklessly (8).

10 Country that may contain volume of strong ale (7).

volume or strong are (7).

11 Midland team at home —
nasty type played (7).

12 Immature US poet paid for
European cultivation (5,5).

13 Money put on one by 30,
maybe (4).

15 Appear, on the surface, to

grow more? (7).

17 Left 23 dn yesterday, perhaps, ignoring repetitions (7). 19 Without intermission, unlike 14 stage performance (3-4).
21 Ship rounds odd head (7). 16

23 Diagrams when reduced are worthless things (4).
24 Love without his wings, according to Byron (10).

27 Oration broadcast in region round London (7). 28 So balf fall? (7).

29 Celebrate with Eastern drink,

Work by Brian Clemens: TV and film writer and producer, Central Library, Bedford, 9.30 to 5, last day.
Paris Sans Fin ; lithographs by

Alberto Giacometti, Printmakers Workshop, Edinburgh, 10 to 5.30. Photographer as Printmaker, Castle Museum, Nottingham, 10 to 4.45.

The Times Crossword Puzzle No 15,743

A prize of The Times Atlas of the World (comprehensive edition) will be given for the first correct solution opened next Thursday. Entries should be addressed to: The Times, Saturday Crossword Competition, 12 Coles Street, London WC99 9YT. The winner and solution will be published next Saturday. The winner of last Saturday's competition is Dr Brian Burrows, 8 The Drive, Hompood. Alvechurch. Worcestershire.

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6 Countryman is one of the leaders in Nova Scotia (4). 7 A refusal to hide record of correspondence (7).
Best policy is to lose a stone, darling (5). 9 The same party that organized a caucus-race (4).

14 Basic principle of eg Lord's law (6,4).

16 Setting, perhaps, and keeping records (9).
18 Cease apparently to be appraised incorrectly (9). 20 Assumed to retire with scores

almost equal? (7). 22 Former custom I for a change display (7).
23 Sheep providing this form of wool? (5). 25 Some people a mean to rob (4).

University of East Anglia Library, Chinese New Year Norwich, 9 to 5. Last chance to see Beatrix Potter in Scotland, James Dun's House, Schoolhill, Aberdeen, 10 to 5.

Music Music
Corcert, City of Birmingham
Symphony Orchestra, Worcester
Cathedral, 7.30.
Bach recital, Malcolm Archer,
Norwich Cathedral, 7.45.
Concert, Orchestra Da Camera,
Benn Memorial Hall. Rugby, 8.
Academy of Ancient Music,
Chamber music recital. Theatre
Royal, Jewry Street, Winchester,
7.45. and Artifice— to Modern Art,

7.43.
Concert, Wren Orchestra, Dorking Halls, Dorking, Surrey, 7.30.
Concert, Leicestershire Schools
Symphony Orchestra with Yitkin Seow (piano), Uppingdom Sch Hall, Uppingham, Leics, 7,30.

#### Tomorrow Exhibitions

Exhibitions
Tribal Encounters, ethnic objects collected by David Attenborough, Leicestershire Miveum and Art Gallery, New Walk, Leicester, 2 to 5.30.

Exhibition of photographs, Orleans House Gallery, Riverside, Twickenham, 2 to 4.

Experimental Photographs, Graves Art Gallery, Surrey Street, Sheffield, 2 to 5.

Recent work by Ger Van Elk: sculpture, paintings and prints, Serpentine Gallery, Kensitzton Gardens, 10 to 5.

Bird art by American, Canadian and British artists, Royal Scottish Academy, Edinburgh, 2 to 5.

Brancusi's Photographs, Abbotsholme Arts Society, Athorsholme School, Rochester, Uttonefer, 2 to 5.

Last Chance to See

Last chance to see
Alice—Lewis Carroll characters,
Central Hall, Glasgow Art Gallery,
Kelvingrove, Glasgow, 2 to 5. Talks, lectures Edged weapons, by Douglas Adderics, Hoburre Meseum, Gt Pulteney Street, Eath, 5.

Music Concert, Scottish Matienal Orchestra, City Hall, Newcastle, "Sing Praise", conducted by Bryan Anderson, Royal School of Church Music, St Leonard's Church, Pitcombe, Somerset, 5.50.

Sporting fixtures

Football: Full league programme (see page 23).

Racing: Meerings at Chelrenham, 1; Doncaster, 1.30; Ayr, 1.45 and Windsor, 1.45.

Rugby Union: County Smal, North Middands v Lancastire, Moseley, 2.30. Badminton: England under-21 inals, Macclesfield.

### Anniversaries

Births: Walter Savage Landor, Warwick, 1775; Francis Berhert Bradley, philosopher. Ciaphon, London, 1846; Franklin Delmo Roosevelt, Hyde Park, New York, 1882. Charles I was executed in Whitehall, Locdon, 1679! Charles Bradlaugh, free Chinker, Cied in London 1891; Mantina Canfri was assassinged in Delmi, 1948; The Mayerling Affair, 1839. TOMORROW

France Schubert was been in Vienna, 1797; Guy Famkes with three fellow conspirators was hanged, Grawn and engrered, London 1666; Charles Edward, the Young Pretender, duel in Florence, 1758, and Charles H. Spurgeon in Mentone, 1822. The Leviation (Graft Eastern) was launched at Wapping, 1855.

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Public events to celebrate the beginning of the Chinese New Year, the Year of the Dog, last Monday incinde:

London: Thankogiving ceremony followed by Chinese Lion Dance, kmg is demonstrations and Chinese pop songs, Wardour Street, Soho, and nearby streets, between 12 and 4 tomorrow.

Liverpool: Chinatown Road Race for Ching Fn Trophy, followed by Lion Dance, with firecrackers and martial arts demonstrations, Nelson Street, 1 to 4 tomorrow.

Chinese Cultural Show, Empire Theatre, classical Chinese music and dancing; sidules 23, cinidren 50p; Sunday, February 7th.

Manchester: Lion Dance and

50p; Sunday; Pebruary 7th.

Manchester: Lion Dance and
kvn; fu 'emonstrations outside
Chinese Community Centre, 72
George Street, 3:30 tomorrow,
Glasgow: Liom, Dance outside
McLellan Gallery, Sauchiehali
Street, 1:30, Monday. Followed
by concert and martial arts performance for children in the
gallery.

## Whitehall Parade 🗥

Parade to commemorate death of Charles I, with several hundred members of English Civil War Society in 17th century military uniforms. Starts at St. James's Palace, 11.30; arrives Rorseguards Avenue (via The Mall) 12 noon. Wreath laid at Banqueting Hall; Society awards presented, then parade returns to Little St. James's Street (via Whitehall), arriving about 12.45.

## In the garden

Frost damage to trees, shrubs and plants is obvious now, but even those severely affected may well recover and produce new well recover and produce new growths in spring.

Less apparem but potentially more dangerous is waterlogging around ruses, shruin, young trees or herbaceous plants; roots can drown in waterlogged soil. Cut a treach and if there is a slope dig a hole lower down to drain water cff; or make holes around the shrub with a fork, 8 inches or more deep, 4 or 5 inches apart.

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## New postal charges

Postal charges go up from Monday; first class letters to 151p; second class 121p. Old rates apply to mall posted before mid-night tomorrow.

## Times world-wide

Roon in London is: 7 am in New York; 4 am in San Francisco; 9pm in Tokyo; 11 pm in Canberra; 2 pm in Johannesburg; 4 pm in United Arab Emirates; 3 pm in Kenya; 1 pas in Nigeria; 3 pm in Moscow; 8 pm in Hoogkong.

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London: The FT Index desert up 6.0 at 579.8.

Pre-recorded travel information on Travellue—rail: 01-246 8030; road: 01-246 8031; sea: 01-246 8032; air: 01-246 8033.

Weekend travel

#### Rail Recause of tomorrows's strik

Because of tomorrows's strike, run down of services begins tonight: passengers should aim to reach destinations by 10 pm. No overnight trains, and no services tomorrow. No very early trains on Monday; delays and cancellations especially in the morning.

### Roads

London and South-east: A405: Yorth Circular Road, only one North Circular Rose and Compensation open westbound at Sinne-bridge Park, \$102(M): Blackwall Tunnel, lane closures on silp road from A13, Bast India Dock Road. MI: only hard shoulder in use northbound, N of Newport Pagnell Services. Tower Bridge is closed today and tomorrow, 7 am to 5 pm. Rotherhithe Tunnel closed today, and tomorrow until late afternoon.

Midlands: A49/A5: Roadworks in Shrewsbury. A625: Road closed at Mam Tor, Derbyshire,

closed between railway bridge and Curbishley Brook, diversion.

Wales and West: A30: Temporary lights at Okehampton, Deson, A487: Temporary signals near Bryonic hetween Caernarion and Porthmadog, Gwyneid, A39: Temporary signals at Stratton between Bideford and Fraddon, Cornwell:

Scotland: A66: Roadworks at Forres, Morayshire, A79: Cyde Tunnel expressway closed southbound at Shield Hall Road Byover; diversions.

Information supplied by the AA.

Because of Sealink dispute, no Newhaven/Dieppe ferries operating. For special coaches to ports during rall disruption, call 01-328 4142 or 01-33 2345, or Sealink offices at ports.

No weekend ferry services to Guernsey because of dispute; on Monday, feirles call there on return sailing from Jersey, but not outward sailing from Jersey, but not outward sailing from Weymouth or Portsmouth. Call 0705-811 315, 0703-28753 or 0481-24742.

The Daily Mail says there is probably more real basis for the rise in share prices in London than in New York because company profits in Britain are briefly up: This promises a soundly based revival of industrial actiony ". It says, " and a reduction of the queues of those draping dole."

Welcoming the rescue of General Dorier in Italy, the New York Post yesterday described it as "the climax of a script that Hollywood would consider impleasable."

The Christian Science Monitor united the economic and diplomatic policies of Garret Pitz-Genzid, and asia: "Can the people of Ireland afford not to give him a stronger mandate?"

Criticing Eisenger's "about turn" in foreign policy, the weekly Die Zeil says he has now overchen the Rengan administration on the right.

The: Frankfurter Angeneine Zeitung urges Nato to "find a Policia which is obligatory

information for inclusion in The limes information Service should be sent to: Cathy James, Trits, The Times, PO Box 7, 209 Gray's ina Road, London WCIX 8EZ.

## Weather-

A mild NW airstream covers much of Britain, with a trough of low pressure cros-sing the far N of Scotland.

## 6 am to midnight

5-48 pm

Lighting up time

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Yesterday:

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